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TURN DOWN MAYOR'S WATERWORKS BY-LAW

Interested Ratepayers Express Disapproval at Poll—His Worship Now Favors Passing It Up to a Commission.

For 349
Against 504
Majority against 155

THE ratepayers yesterday expressed their disapproval of the proposed water works improvement by-law in very emphatic fashion. The total vote polled was \$53, of which 349 were in favor of the by-law and 504 against.

Although a larger number voted yesterday than when the last water by-law was presented, not so many took advantage of their privilege as was anticipated. Up to noon the polling clerks had but very little to do, but during the afternoon and early evening the voters began to come in very regularly, and it

was seen that the vote on the previous by-law would be eclipsed. The total vote on that occasion was 732, of which 282 were in favor of the improvements and 450 against, and 8 spoiled ballots.

There was a good number of citizens around the booth when the polls closed, but they did not have long to wait for the result, as Returning Officer Northcott had finished his count exactly thirty minutes after the polls closed.

When seen last evening Mayor Morley said that he had not decided what course he would adopt in securing for the city an additional supply of water before next summer. He was of the opinion, however, that nothing could be done till the question was referred to a small commission of citizens.

With the exception of the report from the returning officer, no mention of the by-law was made at the council meeting.

JAS. MITCHELL JOINS THE GREAT MAJORITY

Death Last Evening of Highly Esteemed Pioneer Resident of City

THE death occurred at the family residence early yesterday evening of James Mitchell, a highly esteemed and widely known pioneer resident of the city, at the ripe age of 80 years. Though it was known amongst those intimately acquainted with him that in the natural course of events he must soon join the great majority, the news of his passing came as somewhat of a shock, as he had, until very recently, been in his accustomed health.

In his death Victoria loses one of the most charming personalities numbered amongst her citizens. Of a particularly bright and cheerful disposition, with a kind and thoughtful word for all with whom he came in contact, either in a business or social way, the late James Mitchell was universally voted a dear and charming old gentleman; and genuine sorrow will be felt by a host of friends and acquaintances at his demise.

Born near Port Stanley, Elgin county, Ontario, 80 years ago, he, on the conclusion of his early business training, identified himself with the development of Western Canada, spending a considerable time in Manitoba, where he was interested in grain enterprises and trading on the Great Lakes. Coming to Victoria 18 years ago, he resided here almost constantly ever since, acting as general commission agent, and also as the Western representative of the famous Canadian paper manufacturing concern of E. B. Eddy & Co., of Hull, Quebec. The soul of honor, a man whose word was as good as his bond, he was personally known to almost everyone prominent in the commercial life of the city, and was universally esteemed and respected. Despite the weight of advancing years, he pursued his business activity to the last, though within the past few months he was in a sense incapacitated from strenuous commercial duties.

The end came peacefully last evening at his residence, 127 Michigan street, his two daughters, Mrs. William Cox and Mrs. Charles Cox, being present to soothe and comfort him in his last moments.

Besides the children mentioned, deceased leaves four sons, Edward, Henry, Victor and George. The latter is a resident of Seattle, and Victor, who resides in Vancouver, arrived on the Charmer this morning, being hurriedly summoned from the Terminal City, but too late to say a parting word to his father. The funeral arrangements have not yet been concluded.

WINNIPEG FORGES AHEAD.
Winnipeg, Nov. 5.—Building figures keep on mounting, the figures reported at noon today being \$11,831,865 for the year to date. This is within \$8,295 of being one million dollars ahead of the total for the whole of 1905, which was \$10,840,150. Another day at the latest should see the second million begun. The building inspector's investigation shows that ten per cent should be added to the total for undervaluation.

The provincial immigration bureau is being deluged with letters, requesting information regarding the securing of homesteads in Manitoba. Missives are being daily received from all parts of the world, including Cuba, the West Indies, Australia and all parts of the United States.

REID KILLS SMITH.
Seattle, Nov. 5.—A despatch to the Post-Intelligencer from Juneau, Alaska, says Norman E. Smith, a Tenakee hotel man, and formerly a famous bicyclist, has been killed in a "Hot Springs" by Robert Reid. Smith is said to have had a bad reputation among the miners.

PRESIDING JUDGE RESIGNS.
New York, Nov. 5.—Justice Morgan J. O'Brien, presiding justice of the appellate division of the supreme court, today filed his resignation with the secretary of state. Justice O'Brien will become a member of the law firm of Boardman, Platt & Dunning. The future name will be O'Brien, Boardman, Platt & Dunning.

CHINESE FACE STARVATION.
Shanghai, Nov. 5.—Missionaries report a severe famine in the northern part of Kiangsu province, Central China.

It is stated that 10,000,000 people face starvation.

Local magistrates are preventing people from leaving the region, but are taking no steps to provide them with food supplies.

APPLES FOR EVERYBODY.
New York, Nov. 5.—The Times says: "The apple crop in the United States has just been estimated at 55,150,000 barrels. This is 12,425,000 barrels more than the 1905 crop, and may explain why the New York Central road has been forced to place an embargo on the apple shipments from the north. The estimated crop in New York state is 4,900,000 barrels, or larger by 1,000,000 barrels than the production in any other state. The estimated New York crop equals the crops in Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky and Tennessee, and, if equally distributed to the people of the state, would give half a barrel to each man, woman and child."

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Agents, Victoria

PREPARES PLANS FOR PRINCE RUPERT HOTEL

Local Architect Works on Order From Grand Trunk Pacific for Big Building

BETWEEN \$40,000 and \$50,000 will be spent this winter on the construction of a new hotel at Prince Rupert, the western terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway. Instructions were given F. M. Rattenbury, the well-known local architect, some weeks ago to prepare plans for a handsome frame structure.

The designs are almost complete. Mr. Rattenbury has little more to do than to submit his work for the approval of the directors of the railway. This will be done in the course of a few days, and in about a fortnight everything will be in readiness for the commencement of building operations.

The directors of the railway are looking to the future more than the present in providing this hotel accommodation, but the fact that it will be a frame building indicates that they do not expect it to meet the demand for long; that with the railway in active operation the embryo city will develop so rapidly as to require a more substantial and elaborate hotel.

From Mr. Rattenbury's plans the building will provide accommodation for all classes. The office, dining room, parlor and all general apartments will be of good size and equipped with all modern conveniences. The rooms will vary in size. In a this way it will be possible to cater to all, something that is considered very necessary in a town only starting upon its career.

Mr. Rattenbury anticipates that the hotel will be complete and ready for occupancy in the early spring, perhaps sometime in the month of May. From the time work commences it will be rushed with the object of having it finished by that time.

FOG STOPS NAVIGATION.
Detroit, Nov. 5.—Navigation between Lake Erie and Lake St. Clair was tied up from midnight last night until nearly noon today by a dense fog, which forced boats of every description to come to shelter.

GIVEN UP FOR LOST.
Mobile, Ala., Nov. 5.—It is believed that the schooner Asa T. Stowell, lumber laden, from Pensacola, for Havana, was lost with all on board in the September hurricane. The owners of the boat in Providence, R. I., have given up hope.

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Ottawa, Nov. 5.—Leonard Shannon, accountant in the department of railways, has been appointed comptroller and treasurer of government railways, with headquarters at Moncton. The present position of treasurer and accountant of the Intercolonial will be abolished. The idea of the minister of railways is to make a wider and broader position to meet the views of the experts who have been examining the affairs of the road and to carry out the new system of keeping accounts which has been inaugurated.

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BRITISH TARS MUTINY IN PORTSMOUTH BARRACKS

Sailors Resent Order to Kneel for Convenience of Short Officer

ARRESTS FOLLOWED BY OUTBREAK

Attack on Commander's Quarters Is Met by Large Force With Fixed Bayonets

PORTSMOUTH, Eng., Nov. 5.—A mutinous outbreak on the part of five or six hundred sailors last night necessitated the immediate mobilization of the entire force in the naval barracks here in order to prevent the affair from developing into a serious mutiny. The men had assembled in the gymnasium when the senior officer, a man of short stature, wishing to administer a reprimand for breach of discipline, ordered the front ranks to kneel so that he could see the men in the rear. The order was resented, and some of the sailors who refused to obey were arrested. The commandant, a man of small stature, wrecked the canteen and other premises, started to break out of barracks, with the intention of wrecking the quarters of the obnoxious officer, and were only prevented from so doing by the fixed bayonets of an overwhelming force. A number of the men who attempted to break out of barracks were also arrested.

Rioting Resumed.
Portsmouth, Eng., Nov. 6.—The rioting in the naval barracks was resumed at midnight and continued until past 2 o'clock this morning. A gang of several hundred stokers attacked the officers' quarters, assaulting officers, smashing windows and otherwise doing damage to property. Several policemen who attempted to enforce order were seriously injured. Armed sailors and marines had to be called out. The strikers were overpowered and many arrested.

DIES ALONE ON PRAIRIE.
Voula, Sask., Nov. 5.—Word has reached here of the death of Henry Hillman, of Voula, Sask. The body was found in his shack on his homestead by two small children who live on the same section. They became frightened at the sight and notified the neighbors. The deceased was a bachelor and lived alone. He had no relatives in this country.

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT.
Mont de Marsen, France, Nov. 5.—An automobile in which Justus C. Strawbridge, of Philadelphia, his wife, his sister-in-law and a nurse were touring, met with a serious accident today near Biarritz. Owing to the breaking of the steering gear, the car was ditched and overturned. Mr. Strawbridge, who is 68 years old, sustained a double fracture to each leg. The three others were bruised, but not seriously injured. Doctors hope to re-set Mr. Strawbridge's injured limbs successfully.

STUDENTS THREATEN STRIKE.
Winnipeg, Nov. 5.—The faculties of Wesley and Manitoba colleges last week posted notices to the effect that in future all students must attend 90 per cent. of the lectures. This is regarded by the students as unreasonable and they have sent an ultimatum to the faculties to the effect that they will strike tomorrow if an attempt is made to enforce the decree.

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CAMPAIGNERS FINISH FEVERISH STRUGGLE

Battle of Oratory Gives Way to Battle of Ballots in United States With Both Sides Confident of Victory

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 5.—The campaign in forty-two states for the election of the sixtieth congress passes into history to-night. Besides the congressional balloting, twenty-three states elect governors, Arizona and New Mexico will accept or reject a jointure in statehood. Oklahoma and the Indian territory will adopt a state constitution and twenty states will choose legislatures, which in turn will elect United States senators.

The United States weather bureau sees fair weather for election day throughout the east, middle west and south, with moderate temperature and rain in Minnesota and the Dakotas and cold and snow in Wyoming, Montana and the interior of Washington and Oregon.

Roosevelt Sets Example
President Roosevelt, who yearly sets the good example of good citizenship by going from Washington to Oyster Bay to cast his vote, left the White House on this pilgrimage at midnight. He will return tomorrow and arrangements have been made as usual to keep him posted at the White House on the election results. The president's cabinet is still in the field. Most of the cabinet officers have done strenuous work and several of them will find it convenient to be at their homes to vote tomorrow.

Many Will Not Vote
From all reports, however, fewer voters have gone home from Washington this year to vote than in any congressional year for a decade. This is owing largely to the fact that free transportation has been cut off and that election rates on the railroads are higher than they have been before. The single exception to this rule is the case of the New York voters. Considering the expense, a remarkably large number of Empire state voters, resident in Washington, are going home to vote.

The congressional predictions by the Republican and Democratic congressional committees with headquarters respectively in New York and Washington, remain the same as announced a few days ago. The Republicans claim the next house by 50; the Democrats claim it by 22.

The Storm Centre
New York, Nov. 5.—Tomorrow the issue of the most remarkable gubernatorial campaign in the history of the state will be decided at the polls. The "night before" predictions could not be said to throw any helpful light on the situation. Republican state headquarters evidently expected a plurality of not less than 200,000 for the ticket, while the managers of the Independence League and Democratic joint campaign anticipated 50,000 to spare in Greater New York, to which they added a plurality of 50,000 above the Harlem river.

Parties Badly Split
In spite of the confidence expressed on both sides tonight, no one would deny that never before would party lines be less confidently depended upon to deliver the regular vote.

Charles E. Hughes, named by the Republican party for governor, has received the endorsement of many old line Democrats, who objected to the action of the Democratic convention at Buffalo. Senator McCarran, Democratic leader of Kings county democracy, today prophesied a plurality of 5,000 in his county. On the other hand, William Randolph Hearst, first the candidate of the Independent League and then of the Democratic organization, has invaded the up-state stronghold. That he will draw from the Republican votes in certain localities is conceded. The final word of each standard-bearer tonight was a promise to his supporters of a great victory.

In California
San Francisco, Nov. 5.—The political campaign will close tonight with a general outlook of a more mixed character than ever before known. This is especially so in regard to the election for governor. While all parties express the utmost confidence in the outcome outside of the southern section of the state, a number of outside issues and a change of residences brought about by the recent disaster in San Francisco, will materially change the complexion of the voting.

In Massachusetts
Boston, Nov. 5.—The Republican campaign of 1906 in Massachusetts closed with the "businessmen's rally" held at noon, with Curtis Guilden, the candidate for governor, as chief speaker, which proved one of the most enthusiastic meetings of the campaign. The Democrats spent the day in perfecting plans for a "whirlwind" tour of Boston wards and nearby cities during the evening.

Commission Resumes Sittings in Ottawa
J.W. Bettles and Others Give Evidence on Western Land Deals

Stamp Reports Denied
Currency is given by a local newspaper to a report that the post office department had recently to destroy millions of postage stamps which had been placed in a dump south of the city post office. Deputy Postmaster General Coulter says there is not a single word of truth in the report. A new vault was built in the post office this summer for stamp storage purposes. Departmental officials daily watched the effect of the vault upon the stamps. When it was discovered that there was danger of the stamps being affected they were all removed and not a single one was lost.

VANCOUVER PIONEER DEAD.
Vancouver, Nov. 5.—C. W. Robson, a pioneer merchant, died today.

C. P. R. WHEAT RECEIPTS.
Winnipeg, Nov. 5.—Canadian Pacific wheat receipts to date are 29,960,000 bushels.

INDIANS WIN CASE
White Men's Claims on Account of Intermarriage Not Recognized.

Washington, Nov. 5.—The supreme court of the United States affirmed the decision of the court of claims in the case of Daniel Redbird, the Cherokee Nation and others versus the United States, known as "The White Man's Case." The cases involved the long-pending claims of 2,500 or 3,000 white persons to participate in the distribution of the lands and the funds of the Cherokee Nation because of marriage with members of the tribe. There are over four million acres of land and the tribal funds are extensive. The decision was favorable to the Indians, who strenuously resisted the claim, contending that they had never been recognized properly on account of intermarriage.

FURNACES BANKED.
Sydney, C. B., Nov. 5.—The blast furnaces of the Dominion Iron & Steel company were banked on Saturday because of the failure of the company to obtain proper coal for making coke. Unless the furnaces start up in a few days the entire plant will have to close down and throw 1,700 men out of employment.

KLEINGBEIL SENTENCED.
Belleville, Nov. 5.—Judge Brittain has sentenced Kleingbeil, found guilty of manslaughter in having caused the death of his wife, to four years in the penitentiary. The sentence is thought to be too light. It is stated that only the age of the prisoner kept the jury from bringing in a verdict of murder against him.

STRIKE-BREAKERS STRIKE.
Resent Inspector's Appeals by Throwing Him Down a Stairway.

New York, Nov. 5.—Fifty men employed by the New York Transportation company to take the place of their chauffeurs who went on strike last week, revolted in the big garage at Forty-ninth street and Eighth avenue today and insisted that they be paid off immediately. Inspector Henry of the company tried to argue with the men and was thrown down a flight of stairs, and fifteen policemen had to go to his rescue. Finally the men were paid off and furnished transportation back to their homes, which they said had been promised when they came here to fill the places of the strikers.

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Expansion

A WEALTH OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Big Sawmill in Operation and Salmon
Canneries and Other Industries
to Be Undertaken in Spring

Capt. Edward McCoskrie, president of the Hartley Bay Lumber, Trading, & Fishing Co., Ltd., was in town Saturday on his way to Vancouver from the northern camp at the junction of the Douglas and Granville channels, and whilst a guest at the Dominion hotel was seen by a Colonist reporter, with whom he spoke concerning the big concern now coming into active operation. The saw mill, said Capt. McCoskrie, has just commenced working, and has a capacity of over 20,000 feet of lumber per day. Work is now in full swing, and it is intended to work night and day throughout the year. Being upon tide water, there is ample facility for prompt shipment, as the location is on the direct line of route of the regular steamers running to northern ports. The sawmill is driven by steam power, but there is ample water power on the spot which would have been utilized for motive power, but for the impossibility of getting lumber in the first instance to build a flume. It has now been decided to put in an electric motor worked by water power.

Prospects for District

Capt. McCoskrie is also deputy mining recorder for that portion of the Skeena river mining division, and had much to say of a very encouraging nature concerning the mining prospects of the district. "Many good mining prospects," said he, "have been registered during the last few months—one, very large, with no less than 18 claims recorded on the one lead on the Gardner's Canal, the same being a very promising copper proposition. There are many others not so extensive and American miners are taking them up, and some Canadians also; but as usual the Americans will take the cream of everything before the Canadians wake up to a full knowledge of their country. The woods also are full of Americans looking for timber limits, and they will certainly grab the whole thing before British Columbians realize what is going on in this province. One timber lands crown grant, fronting upon Hartley and Masey bays, and are some 500 acres in extent, and I am down here now to secure more; though apart from this we have sufficient for years to come, as this is in the main a handlogging proposition and we are licensed to cut in the neighborhood of Kitimat, Verney Passage, and Granville Channel. The timber for the most part is spruce, red cedar, and yellow cedar.

Fine Yellow Cedar

"The latter," continued the captain, producing polished specimens of the wood, "is in greater demand than can be met by the supply. It takes a splendid finish and is suitable for boatbuilding of the lighter order and for high-class furniture. One of its advantages for small boats and launches is that it resists the "teredo" borer which attacks and eats almost every other kind of wood; it is also specially useful for electrical purposes, as impregnated with oil it resists damp and acts as a non-conductor.

"The nearest other mill is at Port Essington, 8 miles away. In fact they say there are but three lumber mills of consequence in the north, Georgetown, Essington, and Hartley Bay, though they are building one at Kaiaen Island for the purpose of cutting railway ties. Of course we are looking to the coming of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, which will enable us to control a wide area. We are at present getting all in readiness to cope with the great demand which will set in in earnest next spring.

"As soon as I get back I am going to build a big wharf and erect a cannery in the same connection, coming in summer and salting in winter, and using

Avoid the Knife For Itching Piles

It is customary for physicians to recommend a surgical operation as the only cure for piles, and on the strength of such advice many a person has undergone the suffering, the expense, and the enormous risk of such an operation only to be disappointed by a return of the old trouble.

A safer, cheaper, and even a more certain cure is found in Dr. Chase's Ointment. And, while this is a strong statement, it is fully corroborated by the positive evidence of well-known people, who have been cured by this treatment, even after surgical operations had failed.

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our water power for cold storage purposes, the plant for which is now partly on the spot. We are right in the middle of the halibut industry and only two hours from the bank. We shall supply the Victoria and Vancouver market. Steamers nowadays are equipped with cold storage and we can ship fresh frozen fish packed in natural ice. We have a little steamer for our local work, but we shall rely upon the regular lines entirely for transport.

Great Commercial Possibilities

"The spot is one of my own selection after 18 years' experience of the coast as one of great commercial possibilities. It possesses two excellent well-sheltered harbors and almost every natural advantage. It is even now assuming the appearance of quite a little village, and can already boast a post-office, a store, and a deputy mining recorder's office. The population of the place at present numbers some 12 whites and about 100 Indians. The latter have a church, a clergyman and a brass band, and we shall probably soon have quite a little community there.

"From a mining point of view," concluded Capt. McCoskrie, "I think there is a very active future before the locality. The number of licenses sold and the number of records made this season, since the office opened, which is not yet twelve months ago, give every indication of favorable promise. We have on the spot all the Indian labor we require, and if this were not so, there are many Indians nearby to draw upon, and I find them workmen all that one can reasonably desire."

DRASTIC MEASURES IN FRUIT INSPECTION

Mr. Cunningham Engages in Ruthless Destruction of Infected Stock

Much attention has been given to the matter of fruit inspection since the dispute between the fruit merchants and the inspector last summer, says the Vancouver News-Advertiser.

The importance of thoroughly honest inspection could not be better illustrated than is shown by the correspondence which has passed between the inspector and his officers within the last few days. One of the American apples badly infected with San Jose scale and codling moth, was condemned at Grand Forks, and two more cars met a similar fate at Waneta yesterday.

The correspondence follows:
Grand Forks, October 24th, 1906.
Thomas Cunningham, Esq., Inspector of Fruit Pests, Vancouver.

Dear Sir—I write to inform you that I had to condemn 500 cases of apples shipped to Messrs. N. L. McInnes & Co., of this town from Yakima. They were badly infected with codling moth, also a lot of San Jose scale. I showed Mr. Burrell some of the specimens, and he turned it down without hesitation. I will be very careful with the next cars.

(Signed) E. A. RAINEY,
Quarantine Officer.
Vancouver, B. C., October 28, 1906.
E. A. Rainey, Esq., Quarantine Officer, Grand Forks, B. C.

Dear Mr. Rainey—Your esteemed favor of the 24th duly received. I am delighted to hear that you condemned outright the infected Yakima apples. You need not be alarmed at the vigilance lest the codling moth should obtain a footing in the orchards of Grand Forks. As you know, the conditions which prevail there are very favorable for the spread of the pest.

Be very sure that all empty fruit boxes that may have contained infested fruit, whether clean or unclean, are cremated. There is so much infection in American packing houses that the larva of the codling moth may be found in boxes while the fruit may be perfectly clean. In a word, take no chances whatever; burn them up.

I am thankful that you have Mr. Burrell to advise you; you will be perfectly safe in being guided by his advice, for he realizes the importance of keeping out destructive pests. I hope to have the pleasure of calling on you soon.

Look out for smuggling; when I was last at Grand Forks, I saw where this could be done at the Indian Reservation, south of Covert's orchard. Keep in touch with the customs people on this matter. A chain is no stronger than its weakest link. If infected fruit should happen to get over the boundary at any point it would be very apt to undo the good work you are doing in turning down carload lots.

We need to guard the entire frontier for it is very evident that infection is spreading all through Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho.

I am exceedingly anxious about Southern Similkameen, where the boundary line touches our Province. I shall go there as soon as possible to close the door.

THOMAS CUNNINGHAM.

Telegram.

Waneta, B. C., Nov. 1st, 1906.
Thomas Cunningham, Fruit Pest Inspector, Vancouver.

"Two cars condemned. Can I allow them to go to Calgary?" Wire.

FRED ADIE.

Reply.

Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 1st, 1906.
Fred Adie, Waneta, B. C.

"Certainly not; see Horticultural regulations; must cremate or return; letter following."

THOMAS CUNNINGHAM.

It will be seen that permission to ship this condemned fruit was sternly refused by Inspector Cunningham, and very properly so, too. Why should the Department over which he is placed be a party to dumping infected fruit only fit for the furnace, into the neigh-

boring Province of Alberta, there to meet in competition with the clean, pure fruit grown in the Okanagan and Kootenay?

The inspector explained to a representative of the News-Advertiser that the American Horticultural authorities have had a rude awakening of late, and have adopted a new regulation, whereby condemned fruit cannot be re-shipped across the boundary from British Columbia. A heavy penalty is inflicted on the carrying companies who carry back condemned fruit; this, of course, very properly insures its destruction.

The effect of all these stringent regulations is to compel fruit-growers to cleanse their orchards. Cut off the revenue from the orchard, and the owner is compelled to do one of two things; he must either clean his trees or cut them down.

Oregon has gone much further than British Columbia or Washington in the matter of cleaning orchards. A new law whereby any person offering for sale infected or diseased fruit is mulcted in a penalty of \$50, is now being enforced; the result will be that Oregon will again become the country of "big red apples" and wrest the palm from California, which Oregon lost through careless and slovenly orcharding.

It is fortunate that a man of unwavering firmness and loyalty to the Province has charge of this important work; he should be encouraged and supported, for it is evident that much of our future success depends on the firm administration of our horticultural regulations.

BOARD OF TRADE.

Monthly General Meeting Called For Thursday—Annual Report Issued.

The monthly general meeting of the Board of Trade will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The business before the meeting will be: The question of again urging the construction of a wagon road on the west coast; the furnishing of a self-propelling lifeboat; restricting our coasting trade to Canadian vessels; a loan line for ships clearing from Canadian ports, and inspection of vessels; the recommendation of the road commission on transportation re establishment of free national ports; the question of a natural system of technical education.

The 20th annual report of the board, which has just been issued, forms a valuable epitome of the city's progress commercially, and is embellished with a number of fine engravings. Included in the volume are the addresses in reply to members of the government, and many appendices dealing with the subject of local interest. Among these are extracts from the address given by Earl Grey at the opening of the Royal Agricultural society's show. Various industries on Vancouver Island tributary to the city are referred to.

WOOLLY BEAR TO HANG.

Brandon, Man., Nov. 4.—The sentence of death has been pronounced against Woolly Bear for murdering a fellow tribesman. He will be hanged on December 21.

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FATAL CRASH.

Heavy Iron Column Falls, Wrecking Building and Killing Man.

New York, Nov. 5.—An iron column 40 feet long, weighing eight tons, which has just been placed in position on the second floor of the new Grand Central station, in course of erection, today toppled over and crashed its way through the heavy iron girders to the basement, a distance of 60 feet. In its fall it struck a workman named Peterson on the first floor, killing him instantly and seriously injuring another man. The heavy mass of iron did not finally find a resting place until it had cut its way through the foundation of the structure. John Statler, foreman for the contractors in charge of the work, and John Wolfe, who was in charge of the crane which caused the accident, were arrested.

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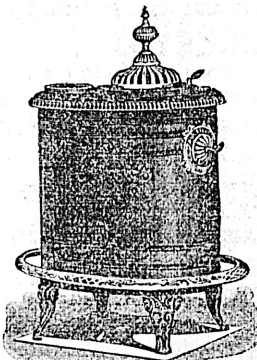
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NANAIMO FISHERMEN CATCH THE HERRING

Season Opens Early With Good Prospects—Cumberland and Ladysmith News

Nanaimo, Nov. 5.—(Special)—The herring season has now commenced. Yesterday several large shoals of the fish entered the harbor and fishermen are now engaged at this thriving industry. The run so far is not up to the standard of former years. As the season has opened a little early, however, it is thought the shoals will be larger as time goes on. The several packing companies are now busily engaged getting their plants in shape for the season. C. P. Keplin, of Winnipeg, has been appointed manager for the Red Fir Lumber company of this city. Mr. Keplin comes highly recommended. He will assume the management of the mill Jan. 1.

Two mining accidents occurred yesterday in the local mines. William Wells had his leg broken in Protection Island mine, and another miner named Meakin was cut about the face and head by a fall of coal.

Arrivals today from Cumberland report the recent earthquake shocks in that neighborhood of a more severe nature than was at first reported. Altogether there were four distinct shocks at intervals of about thirty seconds. The first was the most pronounced and of sufficient intensity to cause several buildings to sway, rattle dishes on the shelves and other unmistakable signs of an earth tremor. The other shocks were much lighter, and in some parts of the district were hardly perceptible.

The customs returns for this port for the month of October were \$6,855.48. Ladysmith is at present enjoying, and from indications, will continue to enjoy, unprecedented prosperity. The mines are working full time and there is a demand for all the coal that can be mined at Extension for many months. Nearly a thousand men are now employed at Extension. The logging camps in the vicinity of the smelter city are working overtime, three to four hundred men finding employment in this industry. Frank Shepherd, C. E., leaves tomorrow with a large survey party in connection with the Island railway survey.

There are a dozen men in the party, which is to be away the greater part of the winter. The part of the Island the party is to survey is not given out. Mr. Shepherd stating that part is to be kept a secret.

Inspector of Fisheries Taylor has returned from a trip to the Straits of Dominion, where he went on official business. While there he secured two peculiar species of fish, a name for which no one seems to be able to find. Mr. Taylor has forwarded the peculiar specimens to Prof. Prince at Ottawa to determine to what species they belong.

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THE STAGE.

"Under Southern Skies," a cleverly woven drama, with a pronounced Southern atmosphere, was produced at the Victoria theatre last evening. The play is highly charged with human interest and the interpretation that was given it made a strong appeal to the feelings of the audience. A couple of colonels who have no love for each other, a few spells of amusement which are well-timed, and a talented little woman gives a splendid portrayal of a negro girl of the Topsy type. The play throughout was well appreciated.

At the Empress
The Empress theatre, on Port street, opened the new week last evening in "The Private Secretary," a play well-known to the majority of Victoria theatregoers. There was a large and appreciative attendance. As the secretary, M. J. Hooley was a pronounced success. The other leading roles were well taken, the amusing situations being emphasized with commendable judgment. Between the second and third act the Mullally Sisters gave a song and a buck dance which were heartily applauded. There will be a change of programme on Thursday, when the company will put on "The Mysterious Lord Deverell." The leading role in this will be taken by Verne Layton, who until recently has been identified with the Baker Stock company, of Portland, Ore. The manager of the theatre, H. M. Owens, pronounced the new week a success.

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is a fine entertainment during the winter months.

Next Attraction

A Pittsburgh critic, referring to Manager R. G. Grainger's production, "The Sign of the Cross," said: "The Sign of the Cross" is the work of Wilson Barrett's religious drama. It was predicted that it would not live the season out, for the religious play was not just then in vogue. But now, after a half dozen or more years of successful life, the drama is still drawing thousands of interested theatre and churchgoers, who regard this simple but pathetic story of the sufferings of the early Christian martyrs as the best of all the recent attempts to put Biblical history upon the stage.

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The Jessie MacLachlan Concert Company will be heard in this city on the evening of Tuesday, November 13, at the Victoria Theatre. The company is headed by the famous prima soprano who last visited this province three years ago and whose recent tour through Australia caused such a furore.

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Regret in Los Angeles

In appreciation of the concert given recently by Miss Ellen Beach Yaw in Los Angeles, Cal., the Herald of that city said:

"There was only one regrettable feature about Miss Ellen Beach Yaw's concert in the Mason last night—that it was her farewell. She leaves Los Angeles immediately for a long tour, and she may be gone a considerable

while. So that, even with the salvos of applause, there was mingled just that one trace of sorrow.

A very large and fashionable throng it was that filled every seat in the big theatre to give her a fitting good-bye, however, and the most enthusiastic. Seldom, even in this city of flowers, have more gorgeous sheaves and armfuls of blossoms gone across the footlights in token of appreciation of anyone who has appeared here publicly.

In all respects, in fact, the evening took on the full semblance of an ovation, and Los Angeles' own singer can go away with the complete knowledge that in her home she leaves behind scores and hundreds of sincere admirers.

The programme offered by Miss Yaw was fully equal to the importance of the occasion, and artistic from the first. She had the assistance of the Los Angeles Symphony Orchestra.

Miss Yaw offered perhaps her most pretentious number in Los Angeles in the mad scene from Ambrose Thomas' "Hamlet." This is a number to test the voice and ability of any singer on earth, and she was certainly brave in attempting it. When it is said that she came through with flying colors and tremendous applause, little more need be added. Miss Yaw's voice and method are so well known to her admirers here that extended comment on them is wholly superfluous, but even her most ardent devotees learned new things about her last night.

Another very happy number was that written for her by Sir Arthur Sullivan, "Nearer My Lattice," a beautiful

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YESTERDAY'S VOTE.

After months of agitation, several public meetings, and two elections, the water question stands just where it did a year ago. The ratepayers have themselves to blame. The first by-law submitted was really a very well-devised plan to meet the requirements of the city until a new source of supply can be secured, and it did not provide for anything that would not have been useful after a new supply is obtained. But so many of the ratepayers were indifferent that the plan was rejected. The excuse given for their indifference is that they had no faith in the city government. This is no excuse at all. The question before them was a very simple one, and the exercise of a little intelligence was all that was necessary. The Mayor's plan which was defeated yesterday, was so very objectionable that the wonder is that it received as much support as it did. But what is past is past, and the citizens must look to the future. The water question must be grappled with and solved.

THE PEOPLE WILL UNITE.

A letter signed "A." printed elsewhere in today's issue, is well worth reading. The writer places the "better terms" question in a very clear light. With his regret that it has been made a political issue the Colonist is wholly in accord. There is absolutely no justification for the introduction of party politics into the discussion. A few months ago any person who would have suggested that any difference existed between the Government and Opposition in respect to this matter would have invited the strongest condemnation. As soon, however, as the invitation from Sir Wilfrid Laurier was issued, the Opposition press began to assume an attitude hostile to the province. It was not so much what was said as the manner in which it was said. The result was that Mr. McBride went to Ottawa without receiving the endorsement of the provincial Liberal party as far as it could be given by the provincial Liberal newspapers. From a party point of view this was a great mistake. The Liberal Premier of the Dominion had invited the premiers of all the provinces to meet to discuss the financial relations between the provinces and the Dominion, and one would have supposed that the Liberal newspapers in British Columbia would have exhibited sufficient faith in Sir Wilfrid Laurier's intentions in summoning the conference and sufficient regard for the welfare of their province, not to mention sufficient political sagacity, to have made the utmost use of the exceptional opportunity thus afforded for favorable consideration. But they seemed to be afflicted with a species of rabies, they had inoculated themselves with so much bitterness that they became blind to the interests of their own party, as well as to those of the province. Hence Mr. McBride was unable to say at Ottawa, as he would have been glad to have been in a position to say, that he had behind him not only the united support of the legislature, but the unanimous voice of the provincial press. Our correspondent refers to the better terms agitation in Nova Scotia. A potent influence in securing justice for that province was the voice of a united press and such old-time political opponents as Sir Charles Tupper and Hon. Joseph Howe were able to discover a means whereby they could bridge the chasm which for years had divided them. When New Brunswick wanted better terms, the press was unanimous in demanding them. The Liberal members of the Commons vied with the Conservative members in the urgency of their demands for justice. No Nova Scotia newspaper told the people that New Brunswick, Quebec and Ontario must first be consulted and their consent obtained. No New Brunswick paper said that the premiers of the other provinces must first be won over. But in both cases the press and the people stood in a solid phalanx behind the men who, by the fortunes of politics, happened to be charged with the duty of putting forward the provincial claims. In those cases justice to the province came first, and party success afterwards. We regret greatly that this has not been the guiding principle of the Liberals in this province. Instead of insisting that a reasonable measure of fair play shall be given us, they have been astute to discover reasons why the eastern premiers could not have done otherwise than they did, and why this province is not justified in pressing its claims upon the Dominion quite irrespective of what the other provinces may think about them. The Liberal press has, in its egregious folly, left the people of British Columbia no alternative except to declare with a united voice that the question is one that must be settled with the Dominion Government, and that the position taken by Mr. McBride is representative of their attitude. And the people will do this. They will brush away the fine-spun theories of the Opposition like so many

cobwebs and will demand justice in a manner that cannot be misunderstood.

FRUIT INSPECTION.

We reproduce from the News-Advertiser some correspondence and comment in regard to the inspection of fruit. British Columbia is exceedingly fortunate in having in Mr. Thomas Cunningham an officer of such indefatigable industry and firm determination. His efforts are in the direction of prevention as well as cure, and he is accomplishing very much good. In the work in which he is engaged Mr. Cunningham ought to have the very active co-operation of all fruit growers, especially those who have small orchards for domestic use only. When a man embarks in fruit-raising as a business, he is likely to take all the necessary precautions to keep his trees healthy, but the man who raises a few apples or pears for his own use is not apt to be so careful. In view of the exceedingly great importance which fruit culture is about to assume in British Columbia, we urge upon all persons having fruit trees upon their premises, the absolute necessity of their co-operating with the government officials to prevent the introduction and spread of fruit pests. If they do not know when their trees are diseased, or what they ought to do to cleanse them, they have only to ask the Agricultural Department for information. There are said to be many diseased trees around Victoria. This is absolutely inexcusable.

FOR BETTER POLITICS.

During the last few months the attention of the people of Canada has been concentrated to an unusual degree upon the necessity of purifying politics. The Colonist is not so pharisaical as to claim that its own political party is any better than its opponents. It admits frankly that there is only too much reason to believe that both the Conservatives and Liberals have not been careful to abstain from an improper use of power and patronage. Neither party is in a position to cast stones at the other. Mr. R. L. Borden, in a speech recently delivered in Montreal seemed impressed by this view, and although some of his observations necessarily bear rather severely upon the Liberals, this is because the Liberals are in power. We are told by the Montreal Gazette that his plea for better politics received the hearty applause of his political opponents as well as of his political friends. In the course of an address on "The Duties of Citizenship," delivered before the Canadian club, Mr. Borden said:

In so far as our hope for the future stability of the democratic institutions are concerned, they must be fixed upon three essentials, which are absolutely above and beyond all party considerations. We must first have clean elections. We must have decent appointments to public office, and we must have honest expenditure of the public money for the public service.

In regard to pure elections Mr. Borden said that while everybody wanted them, it seemed exceedingly difficult to secure them. Even in Great Britain, where the legislation on the subject is very advanced, corruption has not been stamped out, while in the United States it is said that the legislatures of at least four states are absolutely under the control of great corporations. He added:

What are we doing in Canada, and what have we done to improve conditions in this regard? Our laws might be improved up to the British standard, but our laws today are sufficient to bring about the desired result, providing the people of the country and the two great parties were prompt to not only pursue, but to punish those found guilty of wrongdoing. But we have to face the fact that in many constituencies local political parties have more or less committed themselves to violations of the law. If an attempt is made to punish those of one party there is always the influence of the other party to stifle investigation and prevent punishment.

Mr. Borden went on to advocate greater simplicity of procedure in the trial of election cases and favored the appointment of an officer whose duties should be to supervise election trials and see that there is no collusion, and to push to conviction all cases of wrongdoing disclosed. There is such an officer in Great Britain and he has done a great deal of good. After enlarging upon the advantage which the appointment of such an officer would be to the public welfare, Mr. Borden said:

But there is something beyond all this—there is the highest and strongest law in this or any country—the law of public opinion, and this should be strong and all-potent, and all compelling to see that the enactments of our statutes in this regard are carried out. The people of this country can have clean elections if they are determined to have them. They can enforce the law if they are determined to do so, and it is the duty of every man in politics or in pulp, school or public life, or private life, to enforce upon the people the necessity of a vigilant public opinion, and that without this we cannot attain to purity in elections.

He then spoke of the embarrassment experienced by members of the dominant party in satisfying the clamor of their supporters for public favors and closed with the following appeal:

One word more. I would exhort you all, particularly the young men, to remember your individual responsibility for public affairs. The standard of any government is limited by the standard of the citizens who create it. Democracy cannot be saved by faith alone, but by works—and these works must be manifested by public spirit and general interest in public affairs. The indifferent citizen is as great a menace to the state as the corruptionist—in one sense a greater menace, because his indifference is accompanied by a garb of respectability, and yet he leaves the way open for those who are corrupt. The man who does not take an active and earnest interest in public affairs is not only abdicating one of those rights of which he should be most proud, but he is, in effect, taking away from those good influences which go to make up good government, and to that extent strengthens the corrupt influences.

Whether you are of one or the other political party, I would urge you all to volunteer service in the cause of good government. As far as I am concerned, I say to you, as I have said many a

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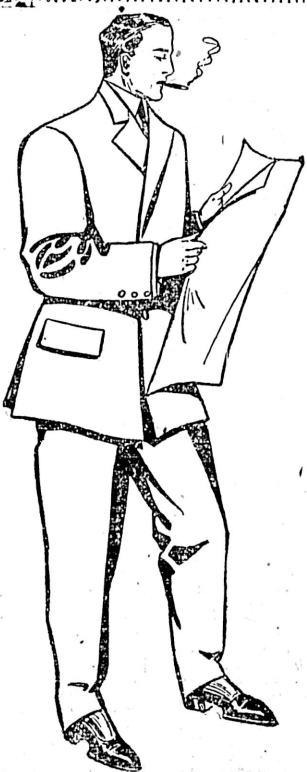
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time before, and I say it with all sincerity, that I would infinitely sooner see a young man working for the political party with which I am not allied than see him taking no part in public affairs.

The proposal to sell a part of Beacon Hill park ought to be abandoned. The city needs the whole area for public purposes. We sympathize fully with the views expressed by Mr. F. B. Pemberton.

What is the nonsense we read in the Nelson News about the Conservative papers adopting the cry, "Give us our rights or separation"? It is not "separation" that we demand. It is "reparation."

The women of Logansport, Indiana, in order to get a chance to shake hands with Mrs. Longworth (nee Roosevelt) when she arrived there, pulled each other's hair, tore each other's clothes, and, as the despatch says, so fiercely fought each other that the police, aided by the railway officials, were unable to restore order. The despatch adds that Mrs. Longworth seemed to like it. There never was any accounting for tastes.

By the death of James Mitchell the city of Victoria loses one of its oldest and most respected citizens. Mr. Mitchell during his residence here took a very active interest in public affairs, although never a candidate for any political office. His long and useful life gained him many friends, who, while realizing that under any circumstances it could not be far distant, will learn with great regret that he has passed away, and will extend their deep sympathy to his surviving son and daughter.

In the Seattle Sunday Times there was a long despatch from Washington setting out that Japan was just spilling out for a fight with the United States, and suggesting that Great Britain was at the bottom of it. In proof of the latter allegation reference was made to the enormous defence works in course of erection at Vancouver. It would be more interesting if the Times correspondent would tell just where these works are. The people of Vancouver would be glad to know. What amazing Tommy-rot some of these correspondents send out!

Major Coatsworth of Toronto says that Sir John Macdonald defined a good party man as one who would stand by him when he was wrong. This illustrates how an amusing story may come to have a serious meaning. Sir John never gave any such definition. What originated the saying was the following incident: A newly-elected member of parliament was accosted by the Old Chieftain, who said: "Hulloa, Smith" (that wasn't his name, but it will do). "What are you going to do for me this session?" To which Smith replied: "I was elected independent. Of course, I'll support you when I think you're right." "Oh," exclaimed Sir John, "the Grits will do

that. I want a man to support me when he thinks I'm wrong." He probably no more expected to be taken seriously than the Seattle wire-puller who described an honest politician as "a man who will stay bought."

Ten millions of people are said to be facing starvation in Kiang-Si province, China. The despatch says Kiang-Su, but the latter province is on the coast, while the stricken district is said to be in Central China. As a matter of fact, Kiang-Si, while not a coast province, is not far removed from the sea. But locality does not matter much, for the task of relieving ten millions of people is a tremendous task under any circumstances. Kiang Si has an area of over 72,000 square miles and a population of 19,000,000. It is a mountainous country but usually very productive.

An Eastern contemporary takes issue with a prominent public man who says that a man should stay by his party, even if in so doing he goes against his own convictions of what is best for the country. The newspaper has the right side of the case, although it must be admitted that on minor questions a man may very properly waive his own views rather than break away from the party, whose general policy he believes in. On great issues, in which principles are involved, every man ought to hold himself free to act independently. Such a question is that of British Columbia's right to better terms.

"Chilliwack the Beautiful," is the title of a profusely illustrated pamphlet of 68 pages, setting forth the charms, advantages and business conditions of the locality named. It opens with the following description: "There is no more attractive district in British Columbia than the Chilliwack Valley. Beautiful for situation, surrounded by majestic and picturesque mountains, with fertile soil, watered by numerous streams and given a mild and delightful climate, nature has provided one of the choicest spots in all Canada for the making of a healthy, happy and prosperous community. Chilliwack has long been known as the 'Garden of British Columbia,' and though other aspirants for fame have arisen, none have ever been able successfully to dispute her claim to the title. The valley lies between the Cheam mountains and the Fraser river, about seventy miles from its mouth. Narrow at the base of Cheam peak, which towers 9,000 feet above it, the valley widens out to the westward until it merges into the Sumas basin, where it is about seven miles across, and in all comprises some 55,000 acres of land. The soil is a sedimentary deposit from the Fraser and Chilliwack rivers, and is capable of bearing heavy crops of all kinds of grain, grasses and fruits."

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Ambassador Reid's billions of reasons for maintaining and perpetuating the present cordial relations between Great Britain and America are far more powerful than any sentiment. They are as potent, too, with the United States as with England.—Vancouver Province.

THE LAND OF PROMISE.

The Canadian West on the other hand, is alive with opportunities for the young man who aims at becoming more than a mere atom in the civil and national fabric. Some of the eager young fellows who arrive on the prairies daily are destined to become more than merely prosperous farmers. In the near future great municipal development is certain and this development will be in the hands of the people. The stepping stone to both financial prosperity and civil prominence will be the farm. For every professional opening there are hundreds of agricultural openings. The Canadian prairies are teeming with opportunities for the honest and industrious of all classes, but they are especially inviting to the ambitious young man who seeks a field for the energy and ability which he few possess within him.—Ottawa Free Press.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

BEACON HILL PARK.

Sir,—I understand that a movement is on foot to purchase the corner to sell a portion of our park lying between Goddard lake and the end of Superior street, and fronting on Katherine street. This project, when carried out, would cut up and build lots, and the backs of the houses would then all face, and deface, our park. This portion of the park is the nearest to the P. R. hotel, and in time could be made into a beautiful rock garden, such as one sees in England and elsewhere, and, as it is the only park where such a thing would be possible without very great expense, as it is the only rocky portion in the park, this we are to dispose of for about \$10,000, which would give us a portion of the park for a city with the prospects Victoria has. Because nothing is done with the property now, and because it is kept in a bad shape, is no reason why we should diminish the size of our already too small park or dispose of any portion of it or have it defaced. I personally cannot think how anyone can sell a portion of this kind, and I most sincerely trust that no more responsible names will be found on the present petition, as far as for improvements, which have been very doubtful in the past, but keep our park intact.

F. B. PEMBERTON.

THE PROVINCE AND THE DOMINION.

Sir,—Those writers who are asking us to believe that the consent of the various local governments must be secured before any change in the Dominion's financial arrangements existing between any one of the provinces and the Dominion, are certainly showing a want of knowledge of the history of Canada since confederation. We have the best reason in the world for claiming that a certain thing can be done when we point to the fact that it has been done on many occasions. On but a dozen occasions the original financial terms of confederation have been changed and in none of these instances were the various local governments called together and consulted, neither was an amendment made to the B. N. A. Act.

The first instance of this is of special interest just now, inasmuch as it furnishes a case almost parallel to that of this province at the present time. This was the readjustment of the terms of the original agreement which gave Nova Scotia what is known as "better terms" in 1869. On that occasion the province appealed to the home government in England and the latter body used its good offices and influence with the government of Canada, urging it to satisfy the people of Nova Scotia so far as their demands might be found just and reasonable. As a result of that appeal there was added to the credit of Nova Scotia Ottawa the sum of \$1,186,767. An additional debt allowance, upon which the province has ever since been drawing interest at 5 per cent, as an addition to the subsidy granted in the original terms of union. When that change was made there was no meeting of the provincial premiers, or government, neither was any amendment to the B. N. A. Act necessary. The same is true of the various readjustments made in the terms of union since changes which, while the one merely referred to, have given the provinces debt allowances aggregating \$31,040,419. On the reason referred to the people of Nova Scotia show that they were dissatisfied with the financial terms of confederation. They

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proved this by electing a legislature which was practically unanimous (39 to 2) in favor of better terms or a repeal of the union, they carried their appeal to the foot of the throne, and it was successful. The lesson which that incident teaches, the one that should be taken by the people of British Columbia at the present time.

One other idea suggests itself. If we are entitled to special consideration from this time forward and this has been conceded, we certainly should have had it when the province entered into the union. The same physical conditions existed then as now, the same difficulties had to be overcome in the construction of roads and bridges, and in carrying on the various other public services. It looks reasonable, therefore, that whatever this province is entitled to hereafter, owing to its exceptional physical conditions, it should have been receiving during the past 35 years. Even at the \$10,000 a year, which it is reported the Dominion government was willing to give the province in perpetuity, it would amount to \$1,000,000, which at 5 per cent, allowed the other provinces an extra debt allowance, would give us \$70,000 a year in addition to the \$10,000 already offered. That would give us \$110,000 a year for all time as an extra on account of our exceptional physical conditions. And who among us will say that is too much?

It is much to be regretted that the question has been made a political one. Those who have made it so are playing the game of politics, and perhaps playing it well, but their course is certainly not patriotic. It is not the course which will lead to the best results for the province. If the people of British Columbia would stand together on this question, as they did when Nova Scotia did under the leadership of their great statesman, Joseph Howe, the battle for justice for British Columbia would be a very easy one to win, now that the right to exceptional treatment has been conceded.

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Sunday, Nov. 4.
Highest..... 54
Lowest..... 47
Mean..... 50
Rain, .42 inch; sunshine, 42 minutes.

Monday, Nov. 5.
Highest..... 53
Lowest..... 45
Mean..... 49
Rain, .05 inch; sunshine, 2 hours, 12 min.

Victoria Weather

October, 1906.
Highest temperature..... 69.8
Lowest temperature..... 33.9
Mean temperature..... 51.90

Total precipitation for the month, 5.60 inches; average amount, 2.67 inches. Bright sunshine, 119 hours 24 minutes; mean daily proportion, 0.35 (constant sunshine being 1).

STRONGLY SUPPORTED.

French Government's Programme Approved by Vote of 395 to 76.

Paris, Nov. 5.—Parliament reassembled today. The Chamber of Deputies was crowded when the cabinet ministers entered, and all eyes were on Premier Clemenceau and War Minister Picquart, but there was no demonstration of an extraordinary nature. The premier when he read the ministerial declaration of policy, was followed attentively and evoked several rounds of applause, especially when he announced that the law separating church and state, as applied, would insure full exercise of liberty of conscience. A motion approving the government's programme was carried by 395 to 76.

The debate in the chamber which followed the declaration of policy, was confined exclusively to the matter of separating church and state. There was a perfect volley of interpellations with the object of learning the intention of the government in the matter of application of the law of separation.

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WRECKERS SENTENCED.

Chicago, Nov. 5.—Paul O. Stensland, formerly president of the wrecked Milwaukee Avenue State Bank, who was arrested in Tangier and Henry W. Herpin, cashier of the same institution, were today sentenced by Judge J. H. Plancney in the criminal court to indeterminate terms in the penitentiary, for embezzlement and forgery. The sentences may run anywhere from one to ten years. The sentence given Stensland today is concurrent with that given several weeks ago.

SHIPPING NEWS

U. S. S. GEDNEY FROM ALASKA SURVEY TRIP

Hydrographic Steamer's Officers Tell of Rich Gold Find in North

LIGHTENDER COMES FOR WHISTLE

Was Removed by West Coast Settlers From Derelict Buoy—Gossip Along the Waterfront

Steamer Gedney of the United States hydrographic service, Capt. Dickens, was anchored in James Bay yesterday, having arrived on Sunday from Alaska waters, where the season has been spent in hydrographical and topographical work. The steamer McArthur of the same service arrived at Seattle a few days ago from Southeastern Alaska. Capt. W. George of this city, who acted as pilot of the McArthur during the season, has returned.

Officers of the Gedney reported rich mining discoveries and rapid development on Chichagoff Island, northwest of Sitka, on the coast of which the hydrographers were working. Indians had located rich free-milling gold quartz on Doolth mountain, and a number of prospectors had journeyed by sloop or gasoline launch from Sitka to Kikaz Bay, 55 miles from the old Alaskan capital. Edward de Groff, a prominent Sitka business man, Messrs. Hirst, Mills and others, had become interested, and a representative of the well known mining man, C. D. Lane, who is operating at Cape Nome, has been examining the properties. Several claims are being developed. On one shaft has been sunk to a depth of 100 feet and a tunnel has been driven 90 feet. Five tons of ore produced \$1,200. The mines are easily reached, some being almost at tide level, and the principal mines are on Doolth mountain, about four miles from salt water. A large number of claims are being located there.

The Gedney's work is to chart the northern coast, where only sketch maps of Russian explorers delimit the shore line. The work is all new, and the scientific members of the Gedney's complement have had a busy season, mostly on the shore line of Chichagoff Island, which will be mapped from the data collected by them. The McArthur has been working further to the westward on the Southern Alaskan coast. The Gedney proceeded to Seattle last night.

Another United States government steamer in port yesterday was the steamer Columbine of the United States light-house establishment service. The vessel, which came from Seattle, has been working on the coast of the United States, and is now on a tour of inspection.

TO RECOVER WHISTLE.

U. S. Lighthouse Steamer Calls to Receive Lost Property.

The United States steamer Columbine of the light-house service, arrived in port yesterday to recover the whistle of a derelict buoy lost last winter from Gray's Harbor. The trend of current drifted the buoy from Island coast, and soon after the steamer Valencia was lost in February last it was washed ashore near Pachena. It was found by settlers, who removed the whistle, a piece of copper weighing fifty or sixty pounds. Officials of the United States light-house establishment in course of time traced the derelict whistling buoy to the Vancouver Island coast, and Capt. Wurdich, inspector of the thirteenth district, wrote to Capt. Gaudin, local agent of marine, asking him to use his good offices to secure the return of the buoy. The U. S. S. Columbine afterward called at Clatsop, where the buoy had been taken, and the settlers agreed to give up the whistle, although the buoy itself was turned over. More correspondence followed, and last month when Capt. Gaudin visited the west coast on board the Quadra, he secured the whistle, which was brought to Victoria. Yesterday the whistle was given over to Capt. Wurdich.

STORMY OFF COAST.

Storms have been raging off the entrance to the Straits for the past few days, and the government steamer Quadra has been obliged to remain at Bamfield Creek. On Saturday the wind was blowing at the rate of 35 miles an hour from the southeast, and on Sunday night the wind reached a velocity of sixty miles an hour from south and southeast. British ship Oronasia, from Tacoma to United Kingdom, with wheat, schooner Samar, outbound with lumber for Redondo, and steam schooner Signal, from Gray's Harbor, for San Francisco, were all at Clallam Bay yesterday for shelter. The steamer schooner was driven north, and after wallowing in the heavy seas caused by the gale, put into Clallam, leaking and in distress.

THE LIFEBOAT.

A meeting has been called for tomorrow night at the office of the marine department, on Wharf street, by Capt. Gaudin, local agent of marine, for the purpose of selecting a coxswain and crew for the lifeboat. As will be remembered, the crew recently resigned. Arrangements will be made for periodic drills when a crew is secured, the recompense being thirty cents an hour for onsmen and fifty cents an hour for the coxswain. No further steps have been taken for the establishment of a life-saving station at Bamfield Creek, which project, it was recently announced, the marine department had under consideration.

VENTURE SAILS.

Steamer Will Carry Machinery for Northern Sawmill.

The steamer Venture of the Boscowitz Steamship Company sailed last night from Porter's wharf for Naas, Portland Canal and other points of the northern coast. The steamer had a few passengers from this port, among them being H. Carewvader, who is returning to Swanson Bay. At Vancouver, it is expected, the steamer will

load machinery for a portable sawmill to be established at Swanson Bay, to be used in the preliminary work for the construction of a large sawmill which will have a capacity of from 60,000 to 70,000 feet daily. This mill is to be established next spring. The Venture will proceed to Ladysmith from Victoria to load coal, and is due at Vancouver this afternoon.

CAPTAIN HICKEY THANKED.

Japanese Picked Up in Gulf Sent Letter to Master of Princess Victoria.

Yesterday Captain T. W. Hickey, master of the steamer Princess Victoria, who rescued two Japanese fishermen from drowning off Point Gray on October 16, received the following letter:

"We, Yoshio Nakatsuji and Harukichi Harutome, wish to thank you very much for your kindness in saving us from being drowned. We will never forget your kindness, but it will always remain in our memories. We are now working at Stevenson with the best of health. We hope that God will bless you for your kindness, and may you always enjoy the best of health. Again thanking you for your kindness, we are, yours very faithfully, Y. Nakatsuji and H. Harutome."

The men were picked up from a waterlogged sloop, the sail of which had been blown away. They were bound from the Fraser River to Cowichan, and when the storm disabled their craft, drifted helplessly until picked up by the steamer Princess Victoria, when bound for Vancouver. On her return voyage she struck on Lewis rock and was badly damaged. Repairs are being effected at Bullen's ways and will be completed about two weeks hence.

A RESOURCEFUL CAPTAIN.

How the Master of the Peter Iredale Saved a Charter.

Captain Lawrence, master of the British bark Peter Iredale, wrecked on Clatsop Beach, near the mouth of the Columbia River, was in command of the British ship, Kinkona, about five years ago, and in connection with the captain's efforts to float his stranded vessels, some acquaintances at Portland recall his resourcefulness. The Kinkona when bound from Europe for Portland was disabled off the Golden Gate. Her masts were broken and the rigging was carried away, rendering the vessel helpless. After drifting for a week or more, at the mercy of wind and wave, a tug appeared and wanted to take her to the Bay City and claim salvage. After much dickering the skipper of the disabled craft reached an agreement with the tugboat man to charge him so much for bringing his vessel to Portland. She was under charter to load grain at that port for the United Kingdom, and, as luck would have it, the tug got her there in time to save her charter. While being loaded with grain the work of repairing her was under way, and she sailed on the outward trip at as early a date as the charterers had expected.

TO BE LENGTHENED.

Fifty Feet to Be Added to Hull of Steamer Spokane.

The steamer Spokane, of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, which is due from San Francisco this morning, is to be lengthened 54 feet, according to an announcement made by J. C. Ford, president of the steamship company. Plans covering the extension of the hull have been made, and tenders will be invited soon. The work is to be completed before next spring, when the steamer will again be placed in the Alaskan excursion trade. When the improvements are made the Spokane will have a total length of 314 feet and an increase of 67 tons cargo capacity. The passenger accommodation will be increased to give berths to 314 first class and 60 second class passengers. The dining saloon will be enlarged to seat 48 additional persons. Thirty-seven new staterooms will be added—12 on the hurricane deck, 12 on the upper deck and 12 on the saloon deck.

PROGRESS OF SHIPPING.

Operations at Lloyd's Agency During 1905-6.

The report for the year ended June 30, 1906, of the Society of Lloyd's Register of British and Foreign Shipping shows that at the close of the twelve months 10,065 merchant vessels, registering over 19,000,000 tons gross, held classes assigned by the committee of Lloyd's Register. During the year 662 new vessels were classed by the committee. Their registered gross tonnage amounted to 1,412,645 tons. Of these vessels, 652 of 1,408,579 tons were steamers and 10 of 4965 tons sailing ships. Of the total, 1,068,012, or 75.6

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per cent, were built for the United Kingdom, and 24,633 tons, or 44.4 per cent, for foreign and colonial owners. As compared with the figures for the preceding twelve months, the present return, following the general movement of the shipbuilding industry, shows an increase of 218,810 tons as regards steamers, but a decrease of 609,222 tons as respects sailing vessels. The employment of steel, to the almost entire exclusion of other materials, in shipbuilding is shown by the fact that steel vessels accounted for 93.9 per cent of the tonnage classed during the year 1905-6. Thirty-nine steamers of over 5000 tons each were classed among the largest of which were the Carmania for the Cunard Company and the Nieuw Amsterdam for the Holland-America Line, as well as the Empress of Ireland and the Empress of Britain for the Canadian Pacific Company. The employment of the steam turbine in merchant vessels is being largely extended. The report also deals, among other things, with the questions of refrigerating appliances, technical education, naval architecture and international yacht measurement.

TIMBER, MEDICINE & CLOTHING.

Various Uses to Which the Great Pine Forests Are Put.

In Germany and Sweden the great pine forests furnish not only timber and medicine, but clothing as well. The pine leaves are treated with a solution of soda and the fiber applied to textile purposes under the name of "Wald Wolle," or forest wool. It has some resemblance to coarse wool and is spun and woven into blankets and garments that are said to be warm and durable. The pine medicates the cloth so perfectly that eruptions and skin diseases are unknown to the wearers.

The medicinal properties of the Pines are known throughout the world. An eminent authority on diseases of the throat and lungs, established a camp for consumptives in the Pine Woods of Maine and made so many remarkable cures there that his treatment attracted great attention from the medical world. His methods were endorsed by the highest authorities. The treatment was very simple, consisting of open air exercise, deep breathing and nourishing food. Every four hours the patient was given one teaspoonful of a mixture of the Pure Virgin Oil from the White Pine Trees

combined with Whiskey and Glycerine, in the following proportion:

Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) 1/2 oz.
Glycerine 2 "
Whiskey 8 "

This treatment strengthened the lungs and healed the bronchial tubes. It is claimed that this treatment will break a cold in two or three hours and cure a cough that is curable. The ingredients can be secured from any good prescription druggist at small cost and can be easily mixed in your own home.

Inquiry at the prescription department of one of the leading druggists elicited the information that Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) is put up only in half-ounce vials for dispensing. Each vial is securely sealed in a round wooden case, with engraved wrapper with the name "Virgin Oil of Pine (pure)" plainly printed thereon. There are many rank imitations of Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure), which are under various names, such as Concentrated Oil of Pine, Pine Balsam, etc. Never accept these as a substitute for the Pure Virgin Oil of Pine, as they will invariably produce nausea and never effect the desired results.

CHARMER DELAYED.

Sheltered Under Lee of James Island From Gale in Gulf.

Steamer Charmer was delayed by the southwest gale prevailing on the gulf last night. She left an hour late and was not far from James Island when the gale was encountered. In consequence the steamer was taken under the lee of the island to shelter. Meanwhile the waiting room at the C. P. R. offices were filled with anxious people awaiting friends and relatives who were passengers, and the telegraph lines were under continuous strain as anxious enquirers sought news of the delayed steamer. At 10:30 Mr. H. F. Bishop learned from Mr. White, customs officer at Seattle, that the steamer Charmer was in the lee of James Island. When the wind abated about midnight, with the change of the tide, the vessel proceeded, reaching port early this morning.

MARINE NOTES.

Steamer Iroquois, purchased by the International S. S. Co. for the Victoria-Seattle route to replace the steamer Innapolis, left Seattle yesterday for Seattle. George H. Leach, superintending engineer of the steamship company, is awaiting the arrival of the steamer at New York, where she will be battered and braced for the voyage around the Horn. Steamer Chippewa is expected to start within the next few days.

R. M. St. Martin, now en route from Brisbane for Victoria, has 4,500 carcasses of frozen mutton stowed in her cold storage chambers. Steamer Aorangi, which will follow, will bring 4,500 carcasses. The Moana will sail for Australia on Friday.

A four-masted bark, similar in design to the missing Iroquois, which showed off the Columbia river on Oct. 17 and afterward disappeared during a heavy gale, was sighted north of the Columbia river on Saturday. The tug Wallula started in search, but owing to a heavy gale which caused the sailing vessel to head off shore, was unable to reach the ship. The Wallula remained all night without finding the sailing craft, and returned yesterday morning to Astoria over an exceptionally rough bar. Capt. Reed reported the storm to have been a very heavy one, with lightning and high seas, which washed completely over the tug.

British ship Sandringham, from London on October 12 with general merchandise for Victoria and Vancouver, Steamer English Monarch left Guaymas on Friday in ballast for Royal Roads for orders.

Chilian bark Royal Sovereign left Iquique about October 20 for Royal Roads.

British bark Castor, chartered to load lumber at Port Blakeley for Valparaiso, will be towed to her loading port tomorrow from Royal Roads.

Steamer Ellerie entered the dry dock at Esquimalt on Sunday to be cleaned and overhauled.

Steamer City of Puebla will sail tonight for San Francisco.

Steamer Capuc passed out yesterday from Union for San Francisco with coal.

YOUNG WOMEN KILLED.

Amsterdam, Nov. 5.—A carriage containing Miss Lena Cook and her sister, each about 20 years old, was struck by a Ronda, Johnstown & Gloversville electric car at Granville grade crossing, three miles from this city today, and both young women were killed. The carriage was wrecked and the horse killed.

The Maid (at the play)—I wonder why it is that stage villains always smoke so many cigarettes? The Man—Oh, they evidently realize that it's them for the graveyard in the last act, anyway.—Chicago News.

PEDLEY'S TACTICS FAIL TO IMPRESS SONGHEES

Indian View of Negotiations for Settlement of the Reserve Question

The offer to the Songhees Indians of \$10,000 in cold cash, it is now reported, was one of the first steps taken by Frank Pedley of the Indian department, Ottawa, in the effort to reach a settlement of the reserve question. According to one in close touch with Chief Cooper, the representative of the tribe, Mr. Pedley, accompanied by T. O'Connell, Dominion constable, made his initial visit to the Indians carrying a small satchel which contained the money; but, from all accounts, these tactics did not assist the federal government's representative towards the accomplishment of his mission to British Columbia.

Antagonized the Indians

When Mr. Pedley met Chief Cooper and other members of the Songhees tribe, he took pains to explain that the money he carried with him was for distribution among them in equal portions providing they would agree to come to terms. This statement, and the fact that he had seen fit to protect himself by bringing along a representative of the law, immediately antagonized the Indians. They objected to being treated as individuals without average intelligence. Chief Cooper is reported to have said that they were aware that funds derived from their lands for rights-of-way, rental and from other sources, amounting to approximately \$13,000, was in the hands of the Ottawa government. Therefore the \$10,000 with which Mr. Pedley armed himself they considered theirs, no matter what was done about the proposal to remove them from their present reserve. Consequently Mr. Pedley's suggestion was spurned. In effect the Indians told him to leave any discussion of the \$10,000 bonus until afterwards, when they were most interested in was the terms upon which he wished them to leave their present home.

Wanted Cadboro Bay

Despite the ill-advised move made at the outset, according to the information given the Colonist, the Songhees listened to all that Mr. Pedley had to say, and considered the terms he laid down in perfect good faith. They agreed to everything but the arrangement which it was contemplated to make in regard to a new site. They wanted land in the vicinity of Cadboro Bay, and Mr. Pedley could not grant their request. He would not even discuss the matter, but tried to induce them to accept their determination in favor of other properties. The Indians pointed out, in replying to his arguments, that they were giving up what meant much to them, a spot which had been their place of residence for years, and that it was only right that the other side should make some concessions. They contended, moreover, that there were no good reasons why a site in the neighborhood of the bay could not be ceded to them. It had belonged to their forefathers long before the white man came to Vancouver Island, and therefore they had a strong moral claim upon it.

The Songhees reserve question, it is pointed out by friends of the Indians, is even of more vital importance to them than to Victorians. The latter are looking forward to the opening of that area on the west side of the harbor because of the possibilities it will offer for commercial expansion. But the native looks upon the matter from a more personal standpoint—one the outcome of which will affect the conditions of their life and those of their descendants. It has been reported among the Cowichan, the Saanich and other tribes in the neighborhood that "the white man is going to take the land belonging to the Songhees in Victoria." Under this impression they have all been watching the trend of the recent negotiations with close interest.

A Knotty Problem

The question of reserves has always been one of burning interest to the Indians. It was one of the matters which led Chief Capilano of North Vancouver and Chief Tselapmunt of Cowichan to make their historical visit to King Edward at London, England. For many years the Cowichan Indians have claimed that the settlers in that valley have appropriated a considerable amount of their lands. When the reserve there was originally allotted, the government's representative simply swung his arm in a semi-circle and said "All this belongs to you." It was marked off later in a rude way, but only surveyed in recent years. This survey the Indians declare incorrect. Then a further grievance, which has long been treasured, is the cutting off of a second outlet for Cowichan River, which destroyed much property included in the reserve. In their interviews with King Edward, it is understood, the chiefs protested against what they alleged was the unjust treatment accorded them in Canada. Of course, with his usual diplomacy King Edward referred them to the authorities at Ottawa. But they still retain their prejudices, and consequently the effort to transfer the Songhees Indians from their present site to another aroused great interest among all the tribes of the island.

The action of the Songhees in standing out for a Cadboro Bay reserve is approved of by the natives. On that account it is not likely that the question will be settled unless the government can overcome the objections to placing them upon the site of their traditional home.

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BULLET HITS COLONEL.

Nizni Novgorod, Russia, Nov. 5.—Col. Bozhoranof of the Viborg regiment, who the German Emperor is honorary commander, was seriously wounded today by a bullet fired by a member of his own command while the soldiers were practicing firing with blank cartridges. It is stated that the shot was fired accidentally.

During the Russo-Japanese war the Viborg regiment distinguished itself at the battle of the Sha River and was almost decimated at the battle of Purloff Hill, for gallantry on which occasion Col. Bozhoranof was decorated by Emperor William.

BLAZE IN NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 5.—Fire which broke out early today destroyed the six-story furniture warehouse of George C. Flint & Co. on West Twenty-ninth street, and spread to other buildings in the rear adjoining. Twenty horses in a stable in the rear of the Flint company's building perished. Scores of families in adjoining tenements were driven from their homes. The damage is estimated at \$100,000.

UTES DISARMED.

Sheridan, Wyo., Nov. 5.—The Utes, who have been on a rampage, have consented to return to Fort Meade, while one of their chiefs goes to Washington to talk over their grievances with President Roosevelt. The Indians have been disarmed.

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Local News

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Victoria Musical Society.—The weekly rehearsal of the Victoria Musical Society will be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the city hall.

Meeting of Macabees.—The regular review of Buxter-Hive, No. 8, L. O. T. M., will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at Temple's hall, Victoria West. A full attendance is requested.

Frank-Bosworth.—The marriage took place at Grand Forks, B. C., on Oct. 22, of Dr. J. W. Frank, Dominion veterinary inspector, of Nelson, and son of J. Frank of this city, and Miss Nellie D. Bosworth of St. Paul.

Sale Today.—This morning at 11 o'clock Messrs. Williams & Johnston will sell by public auction a quantity of naval stores off H. M. S. Shearwater. The wardrobe accessories and bedding will be sold at a later date.

Operate During Winter.—During the winter months the Hotel Strathcona will be kept open by Mrs. Wark. Among the guests at the hotel at present are Mr. Deane and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Talbot and J. H. Brooks, of England.

Court of Appeal.—In Vancouver this morning the sitting of the Court of Appeal in relation to the appeal brought by the city of Victoria against the Esquimalt Water Works Company for the hearing of the same in this city.

Painful Accident.—Albert Lane, of the C. P. R. engineering station, Vancouver, met with a painful accident on Thursday last. While running a line at Kitsilano he stepped on, as he supposed, a firm ground, but dropped about four feet, sustaining a severe sprain of the hip joint. Mr. Lane intends to reside in Victoria.

St. John's Choir.—Owing to the exceptional musical attraction on Friday evening next of the famous soprano, Ellen Beach Yaw, under the auspices of the Victoria Musical Society, the choir of St. John's church have decided to hold their usual choir rehearsal on Saturday evening.

Ministerial Association.—At the regular meeting of the Ministerial Association held yesterday morning a paper was read by Rev. T. P. Tappett on "Fore-shadowing of the Christ in the Pagan World," for which he was tendered a hearty vote of thanks. The association has in course of preparation a programme for a series of subjects to be taken up during the next five months.

New Serial Story.—The concluding chapter of the serial story now running in The Colonist, "The Betrayal," will be given in tomorrow's issue; and on Thursday publication will commence of another fascinating novel, "The Arcliff Puzzle," by Gordon Holmes, the author of "A Mysterious Disappearance." This story is considered the best of the author's efforts, and is confidently expected to prove of absorbing interest to Colonist readers.

"Rally" of Liberals.—In Colquitz Hall on Saturday evening, under the auspices of the Vancouver Liberal Association, a "rally" was held to raise money and a musical programme being relied upon mainly to entertain those who attended. President Moore occupied the chair, and political speeches were made by Ralph Smith, M. P., H. E. Tanner, M. P., P. W. Patterson, M. P., P. F. and John Jardine. Percy Richardson had charge of the musical programme, being assisted by A. J. Julian, J. R. Mountain and J. Petch.

The New Medico.—Among those who have just been granted certificates to practice the profession of medicine in this province are several from this city. D. P. Hanington is a son of Dr. Hanington of Victoria. Lachlan Macmillan, E. H. McEwen and Neil Munn McNeill are likewise Victorians. Dr. Macmillan will enter upon the practice of medicine in November, having made all the necessary arrangements for this step. He has had a brilliant career as a student at the medical colleges and should be eminently successful in practice.

Advertising B. C.—A letter has been received from Hon. J. H. Turner, agent-general for British Columbia in London, Eng., in which he states that they wish to make a large distribution of all kinds of British Columbia printed matter at the shows to be given this winter in all parts of the United Kingdom where British Columbia fruit will be exhibited. B. C. Fruit, representing the editors of that well known publication, "The World's Work," writes that the publishers of the magazine are preparing a vacation article for next summer, and that considerable space will be devoted to Victoria and the West.

Sunday School Convention.—Delegates from all parts of the province will assemble at Calvary Baptist Church tomorrow evening to inaugurate a forward movement in Sunday school work. Rev. W. T. Merritt, field worker of the International Sunday School Association, will be the principal attraction, and a reception committee will meet the contingent from the Terminal City and escort them to the church. The afternoon session on Thursday will be devoted to "Denominational Conferences" and like topics of interest will be given in 11 lectures, and some are cordially invited to attend the sessions of the convention.

Emigrants Coming.—Writing to the secretary of the Tourist Association, Alfred Ward, of Toronto, an eminent lecturer, who visited here some months ago, and who is now on a lecturing tour of the United Kingdom, says: "I have been very busy with my lectures and am pleased to inform you that I have met with great success. I have already sent 200 people to British Columbia, and next March am bringing a conducted party of 1,000 to Canada, and some are already booked for Vancouver. I have received many inquiries from men who wish to take up land in your part of the country. They have a little capital. One has \$7,000 and another \$5,000. I fix up a Canadian exhibit at each town in which I lecture, and this is a great attraction, and if you have any Indian work I shall be glad to receive same. I usually give 40 slides on British Columbia."

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Anglican Synod.—The quarterly meeting of the synod of the Anglican synod will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the synod office, Fort street.

Fifth Regiment.—The regular meeting of the sergeants' mess of the Fifth Regiment will take place on Friday evening next instead of Thursday. The change in the date of the meeting has been made owing to the battalion drill being held on Friday evening, the executive desiring that the members should not be requested to attend two nights in succession.

Onk Bay Concert.—The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Columba church, Onk Bay, intends holding a concert on Wednesday evening, the 7th instant, when some of the best talent of the city will render a good programme of songs, readings and instrumental music. The proceeds will go to swell the fund with which the ladies hope to clear their church from debt before the year is out.

TRAMWAY IMPROVEMENTS.
Accident to Scowload of Ties Causes Delay on Branch Extension.

An accident to a scowload of ties while bound from a point in the vicinity of Cowichan Bay to Victoria for use in the construction of the new roadbed for the Douglas road, Electric Railway Company has seriously delayed the completion of that work. A. T. Goward, the local manager, explains that the material was ordered some time ago. The scow met with a mishap en route, being left high and dry upon the fall of the tide. The tug sent to tow it to the city was unable to free it, and it has laid there ever since. Another effort, Mr. Goward says, will be made to float it in the near future; in fact, he expects that the material will be available in the course of a few days.

Despite the temporary interruption, Mr. Goward thinks that the Douglas street extension should be ready for operation up to the recently chosen terminus in at least a fortnight. This will give the residents of the north-eastern section of the city the benefit of a first-class car service something which they have felt the need of and have been demanding for months past. In order to secure what they desired, they entered into an agreement with the company to have their houses wired and to purchase light bulbs that would be of the very best quality. The proposal, and now there are few homes are not illuminated by electricity.

Just what service will be introduced when the new line has been finished, Mr. Goward is not in a position to state. In fact, he says, the same number of cars will be run as at present. If this be done, owing to the half mile more territory over which they will have to operate, it will not be possible to make more than a trip every fifteen minutes. At present one is made every twelve minutes. There is a possibility that another car will be put on, in which case the company will be able to give the same service as that now in vogue. Everything, Mr. Goward explains, depends upon the business. If it is found to warrant an increase in the amount of rolling stock, the company will be ready to take such action. Under any circumstances, there will be no interference with the twelve-minute service now given the residents of Beacon Hill and Spring Ridge districts.

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INTERESTING LECTURE.
Miss Maybelle Biggart, B. A., Delivers Address at Congregational Church.

Considering the inclement weather, there was a fairly good attendance at the meeting in the schoolroom of the First Congregational church last evening to listen to the address of Miss Biggart, B. A., on "The Social Octopus." The meeting was under the auspices of the Citizens' League and the chair was occupied by Rev. T. W. Clouston. A violin and piano duet by Mr. Talbot and Miss Bailey followed the remarks of the chairman and Mr. Caughey said, "Abide With Me" in a very acceptable manner.

Miss Biggart gave an address of much interest on the "Social Octopus," first describing an attack on some fishermen at St. Johns, New Foundland, by a monster of the deep. The address was interspersed by several anecdotes of personal experience in the social elevation work. At the close of the address the following resolution was adopted: "That, believing that a strong drink is the enemy of social progress, and of religion, and that it is the ally of almost all other powers of social evil, we pledge ourselves to oppose its use in all practical forms, and especially to resist the election of nominees of the liquor trade to places of influence."

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Secretary of Hawaiian Promotion Committee Pays Visit to Victoria

H. W. Wood, secretary of the Hawaiian promotion committee of Honolulu, is on a business visit to the Continent in the interest of his committee, and is accompanied by his wife, arriving Sunday in Victoria. They landed at San Francisco on October 9th and made a tour of the coast from San Diego, in the south, to Vancouver Island in the north. His object is to get in closer touch with those interested in tourist travel and to ascertain their opinion as to what volume of travel may be expected during the coming season. In an interview with The Colonist Mr. Wood said: "While some expressed the opinion that the disaster at San Francisco might tend to keep people away from the Pacific coast for a length of time I found from those who had investigated matters carefully and were in position to offer an opinion, that the prospects favored fully as large, if not a larger amount of western travel this winter as that of last year, and that of course means not only a benefit to Southern California, which is the source of tourist travel from the United States, but also indicates that the northwest will have a large number of observant married visitors than for some time. The principal reason for this increasing travel is through work publicly being carried on by organizations such as the Victoria Development and Tourist Association. The combined amount of pamphlets that are being sent out by these associations amounts to millions yearly, reaching every city and hamlet throughout the United States and Canada; and for the object of diverting some of this travel to Hawaii I understand the Hawaiian Development and Tourist Association, which will be open to the public free of charge, and who, during his spare time will visit hotels and railway agencies in order to come in close contact with the traveling public."

"During the week spent in Los Angeles I induced the chamber of commerce to undertake the getting up of a special Southern California business men's excursion to Hawaii, for which a special steamer will be chartered to sail from San Pedro about February 1st."

"I also had the pleasure of appearing before the Portland chamber of commerce and through this body and the Portland Commercial club have arranged for an all Oregon excursion to Hawaii on or about January 15th."

"At Seattle I had the pleasure of making the acquaintance of Mr. Nadeau, director of the Alaska-Yukon exposition, and who is very anxious that Hawaii should be represented at the exposition, and enabled me to meet the members of the Seattle chamber of commerce who are interested themselves in the plan of an excursion to Hawaii from the Sound region, the details of which are being arranged by Mr. W. W. Steele, of the Seattle Press association. The prospects seem very favorable indeed for the excursion being made a success."

"My object in visiting Victoria was to renew my acquaintance with Mr. Cutler, whose excellent work I was quite familiar, and to arrange for the more general distribution of pamphlets descriptive of Hawaii, its scenery and climate, throughout the city. A great many of your people visit the Islands and many of the residents of Hawaii come to Victoria. We wish to increase the travel and think that it can be brought about. At Vancouver I expect to get in closer touch with the Canadian Pacific railway people and to secure through them a wide distribution of information concerning Hawaii's advantages and opportunities throughout the northwest."

"I am greatly pleased with my visit to Victoria. You certainly have a beautiful city, with delightful surroundings and with a tributary country rich in timber and minerals. With the completion of the Empress hotel the C. P. R. will have an additional reason for turning people this way; it is safe to assume that you will soon see a very large increase of travel. As the tourist is the prospective investor and home seeker, it naturally follows that your reality which will soon respond to the new conditions. I do not know, of course, how liberally your Tourist Association is supported, but certainly its work deserves all praise and is worthy of public support and should receive the co-operation of all public-spirited people."

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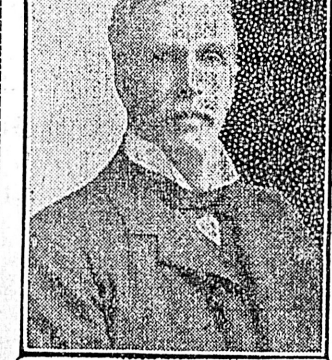
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BOOM IS ON IN KOOTENAY COUNTRY

W. C. Wells, M. P. P., Says Wave of Prosperity Has Reached Interior

The Kootenay country is booming. It has made remarkable strides from an agricultural standpoint during the past year, according to W. C. Wells, M. P. P., the representative of the constituency of Columbia in the local legislature.

Mr. Wells arrived in the city yesterday and intends spending a few days here before returning to the interior. He will be down again for the winter session of the house.

Before coming to the coast Mr. Wells made a trip through a portion of his constituency. He met with signs of prosperity on all sides. At Golden he found the Kootenay Central railway in course of construction. The line, he says, had been built a distance of some ten miles from the town mentioned into the fertile territory of the neighborhood. As a result of some inquiry he found that those holding the charter intended complying in every way with the terms under which they had secured a subsidy from the Dominion Government. They would spend fully \$150,000 this year. Upon reaching that limit the work would cease. He understood that another effort would be made at the next sitting of the provincial house to secure a bonus to assist in the financing of the undertaking.

Railway Is Needed

Mr. Wells considers that the completion and the operation of the new line as soon as possible is of the utmost importance to the Kootenay district, particularly that part lying in the vicinity of Golden. Therefore he expresses the hope that the government will see its way clear to grant any reasonable request that may be submitted.

"The settlers in that district need a railway badly," he remarked yesterday. "In fact, I consider that it is imperative if it is intended to encourage the development of the agricultural resources of the interior that transportation facilities should be provided. What can they do without some means whereby they may send their crops to the market? At the present time the expense attached to the shipment of produce is so excessive as to make the profit exceedingly small. The margin is not sufficiently large to pay the farmer for all the labor, care and anxiety he has been put to in the cultivation of his property."

C. P. R. to Operate Road

Replying to a number of queries, Mr. Wells stated that if the new line was completed it could, doubtless, be run as a branch of the C. P. R. But the latter company would not take over the road unless it was first put in first-class condition. They didn't consider the investment good enough. In their opinion the returns would not be sufficient to pay for its maintenance for a few years. Their argument was that as that could be expected of them was to assume control, realizing that it would likely prove a dead loss for a time after construction. Mr. Wells, while he believed that they were correct, thought there were a sufficient number of settlers in the district to warrant the expenditure. He might not pay for a short time, ultimately it would yield handsome dividends.

"Why," he said, "the route runs through one of the most fertile valleys of the interior. In time all the land will be taken up and the whole country side will be converted from a virgin waste to one of the wealthier farming sections of the west. For fruit growing it cannot be excelled, and I think the ranchers are beginning to realize that of fruit shipped from the Kootenay to it is this branch that will bring them their best returns. They are turning their attention in that direction and the amount of apples and other fruit in the northwest is increasing every year."

Great Market of Northwest

Only a short time ago Mr. Wells made a trip as far west as Calgary. He tells the same story of the ever-increasing tide of immigration to that section and the progress being made by various towns. In Calgary, he says, the number of people to be found upon the streets at any time of the year would lead a stranger to the conclusion that it was a place of 150,000 inhabitants.

"I think the northwest is the natural market for British Columbia agricultural products and timber," Mr. Wells continued. "Heretofore we haven't realized the demand for these commodities. The prairie provinces, although within a few years the immigration has been increasing steadily, are not anything like occupied to their fullest extent. There is an immense territory to be settled yet—a territory so expensive that one has to be on the spot to grasp its immensity and even then only a few men can be obtained. At present it is irregularly dotted with homesteads, but as the country develops there will be such a demand for the products of our fruit lands and for the timber of our forests that it will be impossible for those engaged in those industries to supply it."

Mr. Wells, in conclusion, affirmed that the future of the west was of the brightest if the people would only grasp their opportunities. Energy and enterprise were needed, together, of course, with capital. These essentials supplied and British Columbia would advance in leaps and bounds during the next decade.

SETTLING THE STRIKE.

Prospects Are Bright for Resumption of Work in Coal Mines.

Michel, B. C., Nov. 5.—With the return of General Manager Lindsay of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company, and the representatives of President Mitchell on the ground, prospects for a speedy settlement of the strike are very bright. The union representatives, who have been on the ground for some days, are now thoroughly familiar with all the causes of the trouble and are ready to meet with Mr. Lindsay; while the men are disgusted with the strike situation. To make matters worse, all occupants of company houses have been served with notices to move out by December 1, which is the severest blow to the strikers, with winter setting in and many of the families now here not able to move away from Michel. Relief orders have been issued by the local union at the rate of \$3.50 for each man, \$2.50 for wives and \$1.50 for each child. The contract for the supplies will be awarded to the Trillium Wood Company here, and the orders are issued on the store allowing the people to buy what they please, at greatly reduced prices. The Michel union is in good financial circumstances, and unless sound business management, and unless the strike is prolonged for some time to come will be able to provide provisions for the members and families without asking for aid from the outside.

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Local News

The Highland Watershed.—Twenty-five million gallons of water yesterday passed over the weir placed at Millstream by the city for the purpose of measuring the flow from the Highlands watershed during the wet season.

Arranging Programme.—A meeting of the Natural History society was held last evening. There was a good attendance and a number of interesting natural-history and naturally discussed. Plans for the winter season were considered. The programme will be announced at a later date.

Orangemen's Social.—Under the auspices of the Loyal Orange lodge No. 1426, a very enjoyable social and concert was given last evening at the A. O. U. hall.

Despite the very unfavorable weather there was a good attendance and a splendidly arranged programme gave great pleasure. The chair was occupied by H. Macdonald.

Whist Party.—An enjoyable whist party was given last evening at the residence of Mrs. Graham, 214 Yates street. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Hunter, Mr. Vye, Miss Headley, Miss Fleming, Miss Henley, Miss Nathan, Mrs. Bunna, Mrs. Lawson, Mrs. Harberger, Mrs. Brown, Miss Prescott, Miss Wilson, Mr. Collis, Mr. and Mrs. Cates, Master and Miss Soper, Mr. Harris and others. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable musical programme rendered.

Golden Wedding.—Mr. and Mrs. William Haynes, pioneer residents, who came to Victoria by sailing ship in 1858, celebrated their golden wedding at the family residence, No. 6 Pakington street, on Sunday, when a gathering of relatives and friends met to tender congratulations to the old couple. Mr. Haynes was married at Chatham, England, in 1856. Six members of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Haynes were present, two others being absent in the east.

W. C. T. U. "At Home."—It is a year since the W. C. T. U. mission was moved to its present pleasant quarters and the committee of management, assisted by an "at home" at the above place on Friday afternoon and evening and they expect to see all their old and many new friends. The committee of the work makes it necessary to furnish more beds, as this feature is found both profitable and helpful. Any one having such and not being able to send it may have it called for if they so intimate. Light refreshments will be served and a program of songs in the evening and a very pleasant time is expected.

CHINAMAN ATTACKS

COMPANION WITH AXE

Ah Wing Dodges Blow and Escapes Serious Injury—Police Telephones Ready

Ah Wing, a Chinese, of 21 Government street, was arrested yesterday morning by Sergeant Hawton, charged with aggravated assault upon a fellow Chinese lodger, Mah Fook, whom latter accused of having stolen his property. He alleged to be notorious among his fellows as a bully, and the victim of the assault had offended him by neglecting to close a door. At 6:30 a. m. yesterday Sing rushed at Mah Fook with a small axe uplifted. The latter endeavored to dodge the blow, with the result that he was being struck by the edge of the weapon he was hit by the flat part, which caused a scalp wound. His arms and legs were badly bruised, but none of the injuries were serious, according to Dr. Newcombe, who examined the man.

The police telephone service recently installed was placed in operation yesterday. Nine boxes, conveniently situated, have been established, and will enable patrolmen in the business portion of the city to readily communicate with the station. The sergeants are estimating the time of patrol from box to box with a view to regulating a schedule. Constables will report at given times from boxes at either end of the beat. Arrangements to this effect are expected to be made within the next few days.

A meeting of the police commissioners will be held tomorrow afternoon. No business of special importance, other than the routine reports, is expected to be brought before the meeting.

The Right Kind of a Friend.

Advice is cheap; almost anyone is willing to give it gratis, but when a man backs it up with hard-earned dollars then you may count him as a real friend. Lucy Suddreth, of Lenoir, N. C., had been troubled with a very bad cough for over a year. She said: "A friend told me about Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, but as I had tried several cough medicines and none of them did me any good, I had no faith in it, did not get it and went on coughing. Later on my friend bought a bottle of it, brought it to me and insisted that I should take it. I did so and to my surprise it helped me. Four bottles of it cured me of my cough." For sale by all druggists.

BANK STOCKS DECLINE.

How Financial Institutions Were Affected by Ontario Bank Failure.

The Montreal Star, in its issue of Tuesday, October 29th, had the following to say: A more complete list showing the way bank stocks have acted since the Ontario Bank failure is given below. It will be seen that Montreal and Royal were the only two stocks to advance, while declines elsewhere ranged from 1/2 to 5 per cent.

There has, however, been no special attack upon the bank stocks, as the general market has been lower, and for other causes than the Ontario Bank failure. Prices the day before the news came out compared with yesterday's:

| | Before | Yesterday | Drop |
|-------------------|--------|-----------|-------|
| Hamilton | 22 1/2 | 21 1/2 | 1 1/2 |
| Commerce | 18 1/2 | 18 1/4 | 3/4 |
| Dominion | 27 1/2 | 26 3/4 | 1 1/2 |
| Eastern Townships | 16 1/2 | 16 1/4 | 1/4 |
| Hochelaga | 16 1/2 | 16 1/4 | 1/4 |
| Montreal | 25 1/2 | 26 1/4 | 1/4 |
| Molson's | 22 1/2 | 23 1/4 | 3/4 |
| Royal | 22 1/2 | 23 1/4 | 3/4 |
| Nova Scotia | 22 1/2 | 23 1/4 | 3/4 |
| Standard | 23 1/2 | 24 1/4 | 1/4 |
| Quebec | 14 1/2 | 14 1/4 | 1/4 |
| Sarcelles | 12 1/2 | 12 1/4 | 1/4 |
| Toronto | 23 1/2 | 23 1/4 | 1/4 |
| Imperial | 23 1/2 | 23 1/4 | 1/4 |
| Metropolitan | 19 1/2 | 19 1/4 | 1/4 |

*Advance.

Wheeler (to battered friend)—What caused the accident, loose tire?

Wheeler—No; tight chauffeur.—Boston Transcript.

WOMENS' WORK FOR THE LITTLE ORPHANS

Gratifying Reports Presented at Monthly Meeting of Ladies' Committee

The regular monthly meeting of the ladies' committee of the British Columbia Protestant Orphanage was held yesterday afternoon at the home on Hillside avenue. There were present Mrs. G. A. McTavish, in the chair, and Mesdames Higgins, Todd, Andrews, Pickard, Lester, Bishop, Shakespeare, Huckle, McCulloch, Astle and Miss Aubin.

After disposing of the routine business, the accounts for supplies for the month, amounting to \$110.82, were approved and ordered paid. The committee arranging for the approaching chrysanthemum show reported in detail the result of their labors and their confident anticipation of its success. A sub-committee was appointed to secure if possible, the services of an efficient orchestra at this show.

Mrs. Kaye, the matron of the home, requested on account of ill health, three months' leave of absence, which was granted with the hope that she would return fully restored. Miss Hynds, the ladies' matron, was appointed to the vacancy.

A cordial vote of thanks was accorded to the good people of Duncan for their generous response to an appeal for fruit and vegetables.

The report from the visitors for October was received and adopted.

Mrs. F. W. McLaughlin and Mrs. H. C. Lester were appointed visitors for November.

It was resolved that as the practice of friends of the children taking them to town often caused indisposition on the following days, the matron in future should use discretion in according this privilege.

The matron reported all well and the following donations for the month, which were thankfully acknowledged.

St. Paul's church, Esquimalt, two sacks fruit and vegetables; Mrs. Griffiths, St. George's hotel, one sack each vegetables; Mrs. F. W. McLaughlin, two sacks potatoes; St. Luke's church, Lake District, one sack potatoes and one box pears, three large citrons, two boxes of apples, six squash; Colonist and Times, daily papers; Mr. King, expressage; the Christian Aid society of Dunsmuir, B. C., one sack flour, one jar of honey, ten pieces of underwear, one piece of cloth, four pairs of new shoes; three sheets, four pillow slips; following are names of the donors, as nearly as could be learned: Mrs. Munnier, Mrs. C. F. Smith, Mrs. J. B. Jackson, Mrs. C. H. Walker, Tzouhalem, B. C.; W. H. Kingston, James Evans, J. N. Evans, G. Y. Carfield, R. Grassie, N. Bazett, William Ford, William Dodds, J. W. Kelly, E. Johnson, Tzouhalem, B. C.; G. P. Smith, Mrs. J. B. Jackson, Mrs. C. H. Walker, Tzouhalem, B. C.

The report of the committee was as follows:

Madame President and Ladies: We have visited the home every week during the past month and have found everything in most satisfactory working order. The children happy and well cared for by our excellent matron and her assistant. Four children have been received into the home.

We are anxious to bring to your notice the state of the play room, which, during the winter months is naturally, as far as the children are concerned, one of the most important parts of the home, and would urge its improvement to the board of management that the wooden wainscoting be continued to the ceiling without delay. Another needed improvement is the thorough cleaning out and repairing of the gutters in every part of the building, causing the water to leak into the house, and creating a veritable pestilence. From this cause during the recent rain. The new laundry stove is a great success and much appreciated by the matron.

One of the pleasant incidents of the month was the kind visit of Miss Schl, with her kindergarten, the sweet little melody never offered being most acceptable to the children. Perhaps we might all do more in this way to brighten and vary the lives of the little ones in the home.

At the beginning of the month the scarcity of fruit and vegetables made it difficult for the children in providing a suitable variety, but thanks to the most generous donations of fruit and vegetables from the Ladies' Aid society of Dunsmuir, this need has been well supplied. The clothing, pillow cases and new books which they also most kindly sent are much appreciated.

The many kind and generous friends of the little ones in the city might be glad to know that donations of jam are always gratefully received and are during these winter months much needed.

LOUISE J. TOLLIER.

ANNIE PICKARD.

A Certain Cure for Croup—Used for Ten Years without a Failure.

Mr. W. C. Bott, a Star City, Ind., hardware merchant, is enthusiastic in his praise of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. His children have all been subject to croup and he has used this remedy for the past ten years, and though they much feared the croup, his wife and he always felt safe upon retiring when a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was subject to severe attacks of croup, but this remedy never failed to effect a speedy cure. He has recommended it to friends and neighbors, and all who have used it say that it is unequalled for croup and whooping cough. For sale by all druggists.

Try all other restaurants in town. Then try the Poodle Dog.

Various pretty novelties in Silk and Silk Elastic Belts, also elegant designs in Collars and Ties. Robinson's Cash Store.

W. V. North is prepared to give cornet lessons. Phone A1223.

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STEP FORWARD BY A LOCAL INDUSTRY

Hutchison Bros. Incorporate and Perfect Plans for Large Electrical Factory

With a capitalization of \$40,000, Hutchison Bros., expert electricians, and machinists, have incorporated for the purpose of carrying on a general business upon a more extensive scale than heretofore. It is proposed to greatly enlarge the field of operations and the mechanical facilities at the firm's command by erecting a large and first-class manufactory, equipped with a modern plant. A waterfront site has been secured facing Rock Bay, and the construction of new buildings will proceed forthwith.

The structures it is proposed to erect consist of a machine shop, 60x60 feet, and a boat shop 60 feet in length by 50 feet in width. In connection with the new works there will be provided a main railway capable of accommodating small tugboats, wharves, launches and similar pleasure craft. The engineering and mechanical equipment of the latter will be continued as a company specialty.

URGENT ACTION RE WEST COAST NEEDS

Protest from the City Council
Against Dilatory Policy of
the Government

PROMISES REMAIN UNFULFILLED

Boards of Trade of Province to Be
Asked to Take Matter Up—Re
Beacon Hill Park Title

Amongst the business transacted at the regular weekly meeting of the city council last evening was the adoption of a memorial urging the Dominion government to make better arrangements for life-saving on the west coast, and the presentation of a report from the city solicitor putting a quietus on the question which had been raised regarding the city's title to that portion of the park reserve extending from Dallas avenue to St. Lawrence street.

The first business before the meeting was a communication from Hon. M. W. T. Drake, acknowledging the receipt of the report regarding the chemical works. Received and filed.

R. Jackson confirmed his offer of \$750 for a portion of the Cameron property on the extension of Government street. Laid over pending a report from the city solicitor.

A. J. Monteith, as a collector for the tuberculosis sanatorium, asked for a contribution from the corporation. Referred to the finance committee for report.

H. L. Salmon called attention to an item in the London Graphic in which they presented a series of pictures of the decorations in honor of His Excellency Earl Grey, including the Chinese arch, referring to them as being in Vancouver; and to Cowichan lake as also in Vancouver. He suggested that the matter be taken up with the publishers of the Graphic.

His Worship will send a map to the Graphic, pointing out where Victoria is located.

J. Haggerty wished to know what action had been taken regarding his offer to supply pit gravel.

The writer will be informed that his offer is still under consideration.

A. J. Armstrong wished to know why he had been ordered to remove the totem pole from in front of his premises, while others were not troubled.

Ald. Hall was in favor of treating all alike and moved that any dealer displaying totem poles on the sidewalk be notified to remove them. Carried.

Returning Officer Northcott reported that the water works by-law did not receive the required number of votes, and was lost. Received and filed.

The clerk of the municipal council reported the receipt of communications from: Capt. John Anderson, requesting that a sidewalk be laid on Duane street; John McLeod, et al., asking for a sidewalk on Francis avenue; W. H. Armstrong, sidewalk on Jessie street; T. Campbell, calling attention to the unsafe condition of the sidewalk on Bodwell street; Kim Fook Yuen, requesting that Fisguard street be repaired; and G. Guntherstone, regarding the opening of Sea View avenue—all of which were referred to the streets, sewers and bridges committee.

Beacon Hill Park Title

The city solicitor presented the following report, which was received and filed:

Dear Sir,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 2nd inst. respecting statements in the Daily Times of the 2nd inst., with respect to the three "parcels" of land, forming part of Beacon Hill Park, lying to the south of Dallas road, to the effect that the city has not the "shadow" of a title to them—and to report that by the Cemetery Ordinance Amendment Act, 1872 (22 Vic. c. 4, sec. 4), which was passed in the corporation of the city of Victoria and their successors, subject to an incumbrance therein in trust "for the purposes of a public park." There are no incumbrances on the land.

The reason why these parcels are colored red in the plan of the crown grant of the park, may be that they were so colored to show they were already held for park purposes, the ordinance being of an earlier date than the crown grant. There is a report from me on this subject on file.

Fines From Indians

Another report was also received from the same official regarding a communication from the Indian agent, as follows:

Gentlemen,—I beg to report with respect to your communication of the 30th ult., that I have already instructed Mr. McLeod, on behalf of the Indian department, Mr. Vowell, is therefore, clearly entitled to recover \$50, being the informant's half of the fine imposed on a man on the 18th September last for supplying intoxicants to an Indian, that amended by 51 Vic. c. 22, s. 4, provides in the case of a conviction for furnishing intoxicants to Indians, that a moiety of every such penalty shall belong to the informer or prosecutor.

The chief of police reports that the information was laid by Mr. Thomas Connell, on behalf of the Indian department. Mr. Vowell is, therefore, clearly entitled to recover \$50, being the informant's half of the fine imposed on a man on the 18th September last for supplying intoxicants to an Indian, that amended by 51 Vic. c. 22, s. 4, provides in the case of a conviction for furnishing intoxicants to Indians, that a moiety of every such penalty shall belong to the informer or prosecutor.

The officers of the Fifth Regiment will make a determined effort to win the first game in the indoor baseball league, which takes place on Thursday evening. In this match their opponents will be the team representing the sergeants, and as both are fairly strong, it is anticipated that the result will be very close. In view of the fact that it is the first game that has taken place in the city for several years, the committee have decided to give a free show, and no admission will be charged.

The game is very popular in the East, and it is expected that after one or two matches have been played it will draw good crowds. At present the officers' team is the favorite among the members of the regiment; but the sergeants are not allowing this to bother them, and they will go on the field determined to win. The game will be called at 8:30.

The Revenue Bylaw

A report from the city solicitor regarding the proposed amendments to the revenue by-law was also received, as follows:

Gentlemen,—I desire instructions with regard to the preparation of the amending by-law, and the provisions dealing with insurance agents, but have not yet prepared the by-law inasmuch as it should not take effect until the first of January next year, when the first yearly payment becomes due, and there are other amendments in the revenue by-law recommended by the report of the committee, dated the

14th of July, 1906, which should be dealt with in the same amending by-law.

Considering this report, and an alteration is suggested with regard to the taxing of theatres, and dealing with this question Section 177, Sub-section 24 imposes a tax of every theatre seating 875 persons or more, an amount not exceeding \$300 for one year; or, \$100 for three months; or, \$50 for one month; or, \$30 for one day; and (b) where seating less than 875 persons, not exceeding \$200 for one year; \$75.00 for three months; \$40 for one month; or, \$25.00 for one day.

The existing revenue by-law (No. 321, amended by No. 303, July 9th, 1902) Section 12 imposes the maximum tax with a proviso that where over 975 seats the aggregate shall not exceed \$500.00 per month, where less than that number the aggregate is not to exceed \$400.00 per month.

By sub-section 3 of the by-law places seating less than 400 persons are taxed \$100 for one year; \$30 for three months; \$15 for one month; or, \$5 per day, with a maximum aggregate of \$20 per month.

The maximum aggregate fixed by each case, except in sub-section 3 of the by-law, is given to show that the statutory limit is not exceeded.

The committee recommend an alteration of the existing revenue by-law of the city, and suggest that where more than one performance per day is given a larger tax should be imposed. The only scope under the present statutory power for increase is under sub-section 11 of the Act, and the proviso of sub-section 3 of the by-law could be amended by making in each case, except in sub-section 3 of the by-law, two days, provided the maximum of \$40 per month is not exceeded.

There is a recommendation that the existing section imposing a tax on bicycles be repealed.

They further recommend a kennel license for dogs of \$10 to persons owning five or more dogs, in compliance with section 50 of the Act.

The committee further recommend that water companies should be included with other corporations taxable under sub-section 20 of section 175 of the Act, which is now imposed by section 6 of the by-law, although apparently enforced.

It is desirable to alter this section.

Upon the foregoing matters I desire instructions before proceeding with the preparation of the by-law, and before the committee should come into operation as from the 1st of January next, making the half yearly tax collectible on the 15th January.

His Worship suggested that something be done to include a tax on milkmen.

Ald. Yates was in favor of having as many places of innocent amusement as possible, pointing out that it was necessary if the city was to be a tourist resort.

His Worship was in favor of referring the report back to the committee, to include milkmen.

Ald. Fell was of the opinion that it should be dealt with by the council as a whole.

The report was finally laid on the table.

The finance committee presented accounts amounting to \$4,701, which were received and ordered paid.

West Coast Needs

The special committee appointed to arrange a report to be sent to the Dominion government presented the following memorial, which was adopted:

We, your committee of the council beg to report draft memorial to the Dominion government as follows:

Whereas subsequent to the wreck of the steamer Valencia, which resulted in such great loss of life and suffering, the Dominion government was urged to provide for the recurrence of such disasters:

1. A suitable steamer with life-boat and other life-saving apparatus, located at the West Coast of Vancouver Island.

2. A continuous road or trail on that part of the coast with stations connected by telephone and provided with life-saving apparatus.

3. Better light-house and signal service on the West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Almost a year has passed and little of value has been done to relieve the serious situation.

Be it resolved, in the interests of humanity and is hereby urged to give effect, without further delay, to the measures of relief which the citizens are entitled to believe would be forthcoming at that time.

Further, that the provincial government, boards of trade and other nearby authorities be requested to join with us in bringing pressure to bear upon the government in this important matter.

The water commissioner reported that the Marine Iron Works company had a quantity of brass goods on hand that had been manufactured from copperation patterns. He recommended that they be purchased at a cost of \$103.

Laid on the table for a week.

His Worship stated that within a few days he would present a short report on liquor licenses, as well as a report regarding telephone and electric light wires.

The automobile by-law was read a second time, and will be considered in committee at the next meeting.

The \$17,000 water works improvement by-law was read a third time and finally passed, after which the meeting adjourned.

SPORTS

INDOOR BASEBALL

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BASEBALL

Close of the Season

The Pacific Coast Baseball league came to a close on Sunday, and for the next few months the air will be full of conjectures as to what next season will bring forth. Portland has won the pennant with a percentage of .678, while Seattle comes in with .558.

During the season the Portland team won 118 and lost 50 games, while Seattle had 101 games on the right side of her average sheet and 80 on the wrong side.

The victory of Portland, and the fact that Seattle was second in the league, are a great boost in the northern portion of the league, and when next season opens there is likely to be some very interesting times.

Last year the season was divided, the Tacoma team winning the first half and the Los Angeles "bunch" the second, and in the first season of the league the eastern team won five out of six, giving them the championship. At the commencement of the season now closed the Seattle

team made a very poor showing, but during the last two months they have climbed steadily up the ladder till they arrived at second place, and had it not been that the Portland team had too big a lead they would have been overtaken.

The Seattle team has disbanded for the season, but some of the others will play a series of games with the Tacoma state league teams before putting their togs away for the season.

The annual meeting of the Pacific Coast league will take place in Los Angeles on Dec. 1, and till that time there will be many suggestions as to what will constitute the league teams for next year.

The standing of the teams is as follows:

Club— Won. Lost. Pct.
Portland 118 56 .678
Seattle 101 80 .558
San Francisco 91 83 .521
Los Angeles 92 92 .500
Oakland 76 109 .411
Fresno 59 120 .330

HOCKEY

Preparing for Nanaimo

The members of the Victoria ladies' hockey team are making active preparations for their game against Nanaimo on the 24th inst., and it is expected that a good game will result.

The local exponents will hold their regular mid-week practice at Oak Bay tomorrow afternoon; and those desirous of securing a place are requested to be on hand. The practice will be held at 3:30 sharp, and all interested are cordially invited to turn out.

GOLF

Medal Competition

The result of the first medal competition for this season of the Victoria Golf Club is as follows:

"A" Class

H. G. Goward 97 14 83
A. T. Goward 99 13 86
H. G. Goward 100 10 88
H. W. Rhodes 102 14 88
J. A. Rithet 99 10 89
A. L. Crease 103 9 91

"B" Class

A. S. Robertson 107 17 90
H. H. Swinerton 100 17 92
H. H. Swinerton 117 22 95
G. C. Johnston 125 21 101
J. W. Ambury 118 16 102

THE RING

Gans-Nelson Fight Reproduced

The reproduction of the remarkable fight for the lightweight championship of the world between Joe Gans and Battling Nelson will be shown at the Victoria theatre this evening. The fight took place at Goldfields, Nev., on Labor Day, and drew many lovers of this form of amusement from all over the United States. It was in this "mixup" that the title of champion was transferred from the Dane to the negro, and judging from reports it is liable to remain with him for a short time yet.

The fight was remarkable in more ways than one. The two fighters, the largest that two lightweights ever fought for; the gate receipts the largest ever collected for a prize fight; the biggest outdoor arena ever constructed for a prize fight, and the fight the longest on record. It was arranged in the short space of six days, and it took 2 1-4 miles of film to get the pictures.

With this combination of incidents it is safe to say that the fight as a whole has made a record that will remain unbroken for many years.

The pictures are very clear, so clear, in fact, that many faces near the ring-side are recognizable, while the principals in the ring are easily discernible, and every blow and movement of the fighters is presented as it was delivered during the fight.

The pictures give a show of two hours and fifteen minutes; and it is expected that there will be a good number present at the theatre this evening to see how Gans won the championship.

TURF.

A Big Purse.

According to the present plans of the King County Fair association, there will be a race for a purse of \$25,000, contested for at the Meadows in 1909, the expiration year of the present lease.

This will be the largest purse ever hung up in this country west of Chicago. In an interview in a San Francisco paper Horace Ebert, who was presiding judge at the Meadows last summer, said: "When I was in Seattle the King County Fair association of Seattle, which controls the racing there, authorized me to arrange a big event for its season of 1909."

In that year the Alaska-Yukon exposition will be held in Seattle and the association desires to have an event which will be worthy of the occasion. The stakes will have a guaranteed value of \$25,000, and will be a future event which should attract to the Seattle meeting a great field of horses. The Seattle people like good racing and the management is determined to make the meeting in exposition year a banner one."

CLIMBING THE HIMALAYAS.

The Experiences of Dr. and Mrs. Workman.

Further particulars have reached England of the adventurous ascent of the Nun-Kun mountains by Dr. and Mrs. Bullock Workman. Nun and Kun are the names given to two peaks of the Western Himalayas rising respectively to 23,240 and 23,260 feet above sea level. The mountain range here marks the boundary between Kashmir proper and Ladakh, and is usually crossed by travel from Srinagar to Leh by the dreaded Zaski La Pass.

After the ascent of one of the Nun peaks, Dr. and Mrs. Bullock Workman made their way round the southern side, crossing four snow passes from 15,600 to 17,000 feet above the sea. The Pioneer gives the following account of the ascent referred to recently in our telegraphic columns:

After encountering many difficulties as to transport, coolies and the fooding of the unbridged and dangerous Saru river, Dr. and Mrs. Bullock Workman and seven Italian guides and porters have carried out some valuable exploration in the Nun-Kun massif situated in Saru, southwest of Ladakh. Having safely brought the main caravan of 14 persons and 25 pack animals to 17,000 feet in the Shapin Nala, Dr. and Mrs. Bullock Workman, accompanied by the seven guides and porters and 15 coolies, left the base camp on July 25 for the upper snows. After an hour of morning they ascended over snow slopes covered with the beautiful "Nieves Penitentes" found in the Andes, but none seen by the explorers before—in the Himalayas, to a snow hollow, where camp "Nieves Penitentes" was made at 17,200 feet.

The next day the ascent was continued to 19,358 feet, where camp was made in a sloping snow reach. Here the coolies, with the exception of two volunteers, returned to the lower camp. Again on July 27 the small caravan moved upward, bearing north over a very steep snow and ice wall to the wide ascending plateau which is circled in by the highest Nun-Kun peaks. At the beginning of this plateau the snow fields were overtook the explorers, so they camped at 20,730 feet, called Camp Italia, in six small Mummery tents, the two volunteers highest camp yet made by mountaineers.

Mr. G. O. C. GOWLER, Portage la Prairie. Your druggist has Gin Pills, or will get them for you. See box—6 for \$2.50.

If you will send us your name and address and tell us the paper in which you have read this we will send you a trial box of Gin Pills absolutely free. You will get such relief that you will gladly continue the treatment until cured. Do it today—now—and start to cure yourself.

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Read this letter. Read it twice. You have never heard such good news before—If your kidneys are sick. It tells how to be free of pain—how to have all your old-time health and vigor.

"I have been for years a sufferer with pain in the back and across the kidneys. There was scarcely a minute, day or night, that I was free of pain, and when I attempted to pass urine, the pain was almost unbearable. A friend of mine in Portage la Prairie, who was similarly afflicted, strongly advised me to try Gin Pills, as they had cured him. I bought a box of Gin Pills, and in less than a week, to my great delight, found myself without pain. I have had to go as often as every 20 minutes to urinate and several times during the night. Since taking Gin Pills, I sleep through the entire night and am not more than ordinarily inconvenienced during the day. I earnestly recommend Gin Pills to anyone suffering from pain in the back, kidney or bladder.

FAMOUS SONGSTRESS SAVES LIVES OF DEER

Ellen Beach Yaw Startles Hunters as They Are About to Take Aim

The Los Angeles Times tells the following pretty story about Ellen Beach Yaw, the famous songstress who is to appear at the Victoria theatre next week under the auspices of the Victoria Musical Society:

Two beautiful deer residents during the whole period of their exile lives in San Gabriel canyon, California, might thank Ellen Beach Yaw for their existence had they intelligence to realize what she had done for them.

Miss Yaw's bit of amateur salvation was a pretty little romance of the mountains, and was accomplished during a recent vacation she took in company with a number of her relatives.

At daybreak one morning she was attracted by the prospect of an unusually beautiful sunrise, and accordingly arose before the rest of the party. Wandering out near the edge of the open, she stood silently for long time, watching the pale tints on the hills rise into more vivid colors, and waiting patiently for the fall of the chill mountain fog.

Suddenly a slight noise broke in upon the sharp stillness. She took a quick look around, Miss Yaw espied two beautiful deer, taking a morning drink at the adjacent brook. Needless to say, they were quite unaware of the prima donna's presence—else their drink had been forgotten in hurried flight into the underbrush.

Miss Yaw's sister, Mrs. Ben F. Thorpe, died by this time joined her, and scarcely had time to breathe, the two stood for some moments in mute admiration.

Suddenly, turning her eyes away from the animals, Miss Yaw saw two hunters, walking with muffled footsteps and with rifles ready, creeping up the hill to get itself up the cleared path in the little canyon.

Their purpose was plain, but their innocent victims-to-be unsuspecting the presence of evil, stood as carelessly as though surrounded by primeval solitude.

She was startled and confused, indeed, to find anyone else in the canyon. Had she seen any deer? What? Real live deer? Where were they? Could she please go and look at them?

With patient looks of resignation and half concealed disgust, the disappointed hunters took the trail again, wondering at the general impossibility of all young women.

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Montreal, Nov. 5.—The Reform club has decided to tender a banquet to Hon. W. S. Fielding on November 20. Invitations will be sent to all the members of the government and to the Liberal premiers of the provinces of Canada. The affair is expected to be one of the most important of its kind in the history of the city.

CLIMBING THE HIMALAYAS.

The Experiences of Dr. and Mrs. Workman.

Further particulars have reached England of the adventurous ascent of the Nun-Kun mountains by Dr. and Mrs. Bullock Workman. Nun and Kun are the names given to two peaks of the Western Himalayas rising respectively to 23,240 and 23,260 feet above sea level. The mountain range here marks the boundary between Kashmir proper and Ladakh, and is usually crossed by travel from Srinagar to Leh by the dreaded Zaski La Pass.

After the ascent of one of the Nun peaks, Dr. and Mrs. Bullock Workman made their way round the southern side, crossing four snow passes from 15,600 to 17,000 feet above the sea. The Pioneer gives the following account of the ascent referred to recently in our telegraphic columns:

After encountering many difficulties as to transport, coolies and the fooding of the unbridged and dangerous Saru river, Dr. and Mrs. Bullock Workman and seven Italian guides and porters have carried out some valuable exploration in the Nun-Kun massif situated in Saru, southwest of Ladakh. Having safely brought the main caravan of 14 persons and 25 pack animals to 17,000 feet in the Shapin Nala, Dr. and Mrs. Bullock Workman, accompanied by the seven guides and porters and 15 coolies, left the base camp on July 25 for the upper snows. After an hour of morning they ascended over snow slopes covered with the beautiful "Nieves Penitentes" found in the Andes, but none seen by the explorers before—in the Himalayas, to a snow hollow, where camp "Nieves Penitentes" was made at 17,200 feet.

The next day the ascent was continued to 19,358 feet, where camp was made in a sloping snow reach. Here the coolies, with the exception of two volunteers, returned to the lower camp. Again on July 27 the small caravan moved upward, bearing north over a very steep snow and ice wall to the wide ascending plateau which is circled in by the highest Nun-Kun peaks. At the beginning of this plateau the snow fields were overtook the explorers, so they camped at 20,730 feet, called Camp Italia, in six small Mummery tents, the two volunteers highest camp yet made by mountaineers.

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\$800.00—Will buy 87-100 an acre close to the George farm line, as there is very little acreage for sale in this vicinity, it is worth your while looking into. (219)

\$735.00—Will buy 1/2 acre on Oak Bay avenue with very little rock. (224)

\$3000.00—Will buy 3 acres and 4 roomed cottage fronting on Cordova Bay, fruit trees, garden, etc. (237)

We are now offering three lots for sale on Dallas Road, for which we are asking an offer for. (234)

\$2500.00—Will buy 2 1/2 acres on Cedar Hill Road, all under cultivation, dwelling of 7 rooms, 40 chickens, fruit trees, etc., and furniture all as a going concern. (331)

\$3500.00—Will buy 5 acres just off the Burnside Road, 750 fruit trees, 5 roomed cottage, barns, out-houses, etc. (331)

\$400.00—Will buy 5 acres in Strawberry Vale. (329)

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\$3250.00—Will buy 6 1/2 acres all under cultivation in Mount Tola, 65 fruit trees, 1 1/2 acres in strawberries, logan and gooseberries, house of 5 rooms, and many out-buildings. (213)

\$1250—Will buy 6 1/2 acres on the Saanich Road, 2 acres cleared and small cabin. (312)

\$3500.00—Will buy 5 acres in Gordon Head all under cultivation, 400 fruit trees, 3000 raspberry plants, 14,000 strawberry plants, currants, gooseberries, etc. Cottage of 6 rooms, barn, wood shed, 3 small hen houses. (312)

\$1050.00—Will buy 4 1/2 acres in Lake Hill Estate all under grass, cuts 7 tons of hay. (303)

\$2000.00—Will buy a new 7 roomed cottage with all modern conveniences, within easy reach of the city, terms may be arranged if necessary. (111)

\$3800.00—Will buy a 6 roomed, two story house on the Esquimalt Road, and three lots. (107)

\$3150.00—Will buy a new 7 roomed house with all conveniences, in James Bay and close to the Park. (102)

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FRUIT FARMS—Several of the best bargains near the city.

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327 acres, 1/2 mile waterfrontage only \$100 per acre.

\$1,000—Small house and 2 large lots on 10th street, close to car line.

\$100—Lots, Fairfield Estate, 60x120 each; water lots, \$200 each. Very easy terms.

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160 acres Highland district, house and outbuildings, about five acres cleared, 50 fruit trees, \$800.

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Consumptive Sanitorium

Building Fund

One hundred thousand dollars (100,000) asked for—fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) needed, to entitle committee to Hon. James Dunsinuir's grant of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).

Is a Consumptive Sanitorium needed? During the month of September of this year a boy nineteen years old became consumptive. He lived in a hotel and was dependent on his own efforts as a laborer. As a result of his disease he was turned out of three hotels and refused admission to a public hospital. The boy is now dead. A man who befriended the boy wrote as follows: "God have mercy on us for our neglect of such cases." Now we further ask, is this institution needed?

The death-roll from consumption in Canada exceeds twelve thousand yearly; and in British Columbia it is over two hundred.

The number of persons invalidated from consumption is authoritatively estimated to be five times as great as the number of deaths therefrom; therefore, we have some sixty thousand invalids in Canada, and a thousand in British Columbia.

We have, therefore, before us the appalling fact that yearly we lose the benefit of the services and earning powers of thousands of citizens who are incapacitated by illness, and others who lose outright by death, through this one cause—and that a preventable cause.

This is something to set political economists thinking very seriously. It is a responsibility too vast to be measured by mere figures, or described in mere language.

No fanciful theories, untried methods, or mere experiments are proposed. The simple, God-given remedies, viz.: Fresh air, suitable food, rest and exercise, under expert supervision, and suitable, cheerful surroundings, have more than proved their efficiency. Practically speaking, these requisites are obtainable only in a sanitorium.

A further advantage connected with such an institution is that the admission of a patient means the removal of one source of contagion from the general community; and when, after treatment, such person is returned cured, or otherwise, to the ranks of the public, he or she is an educational centre of first importance, because the first principle in the care of a patient entering a sanitorium is the care he should exercise in his personal habits; the necessity for cleanliness, for care in disposal of anything about him which would spread, or even be likely to spread, contagion; in a word, he is persistently taught to move and act so that no other human being shall be likely, in the remotest degree, to suffer on account of any thoughtlessness on his part in the care of himself. Such a person, when discharged from the institution, is by his training in the sanitorium, not only impressed with the necessity for continuing such caution, but, because of his knowledge so gained, he comes in his family and general surroundings an educational influence infinitely more effective than all the literature and arguments of physicians and authorities on the subject.

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It is proposed to build a sanitorium in British Columbia. The provincial government are prepared to assist, and the people generally, through local societies formed all over the country, are willing to maintain it. You are asked to help us to build Action, immediate action is imperative, if we wish to stem this awful tide of mortality. To stand idly by any longer is tantamount to being willing participants in something worse than race suicide.

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THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office,
Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m. Nov. 5.
SYNOPSIS.

The pressure is falling up in the North Pacific states, but a storm area central off the Queen Charlotte Islands, covers the province. Rain has fallen from Port Simpson to Western Washington, and snow has fallen at Atlin and Barkerville. A thunderstorm occurred at Tuloos, and a fresh southerly gale prevails on the outside waters with an hourly velocity of 50 miles at the mouth of the Columbia river. In the Yukon it has become much cooler, the mercury at Dawson falling to 4 below zero. In the prairie provinces the pressure is giving way in advance of the storm on the coast, and the weather is cold with showers of rain and sleet in the western parts.

TEMPERATURE.

| | Min. | Max. |
|-----------------|------|------|
| Victoria | 46 | 53 |
| Vancouver | 41 | 48 |
| New Westminster | 46 | 48 |
| Kamloops | 46 | 54 |
| Barkerville | 31 | 34 |
| Fort Simpson | 28 | 44 |
| Atlin | 12 | 16 |
| Dawson | 4 | 6 |
| Calgary | 36 | 46 |
| Winnipeg | 30 | 40 |
| Portland, Ore. | 46 | 54 |
| San Francisco | 52 | 58 |

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time).
Tuesday.
Victoria and vicinity—Decreasing southerly winds, unsettled and colder with showers.
Lower Mainland—Decreasing southerly winds, continued unsettled and colder with showers.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

The Diarr

Wildlife Peat, London, Eng.; Wm. O'Donnell, Portland, Ore.; Chas. Doering, Vancouver; L. O'Connor, New Westminster.

The King Edward.

L. Oakman, Washington; Miss A. Mortimer, New York; J. H. Packard, New York; C. H. Debeck, Vancouver; L. Gilbert, Vancouver; John Ross, Vancouver; Mr. Arbuckle and wife, Calgary; T. A. Kennedy, Vancouver; Mrs. M. E. Banta, Vancouver; Mrs. C. H. Wilson, Vancouver; W. G. Reinhardt, City; P. D. Johnson, Tacoma; J. P. Hand and wife, Toronto; Jas. H. Johnson, Nanaimo; Harry J. Bennett, Chicago; Capt. Staak, Chemainus; Capt. F. E. Mortimer, "Under Southern Skies" Co.; E. W. Molander, Seattle; Geo. A. Cameron, New York; Jas. Ryan, New York.

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London, Nov. 5.—In the House of Lords tonight the debate on the Education bill advanced as far as clause 484, which provides that the local education authorities may afford extended facilities for special religious instruction. Lord Hennessy's amendment making this clause mandatory was carried against the government by 157 votes to 46.

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We also carry Lime Cement Plaster of Paris Building and Fire Brick, Fire Clay. Please call and inspect our stock before deciding.

BANK ROBBED.

Lasalle, Ill., Nov. 5.—The Farmers' and Miners' Bank, of Ladd, Ill., was held up and robbed today of \$7,000, by two men, who escaped.

HOW SHAKESPEARE IS SPELLED.

The pungent revival of popular interest in spelling makes timely a little monograph entitled "The Name of William Shakespeare," by John Laing Haney, professor of English philology in the Philadelphia central high school, which is published by the Egerton Press of that city. The author's creed is plain in the title of his book; he sees no reason to depart from the orthodox faith.

More may hang on a spelling than appears on the surface: "Shakespeare" has been identified with radicalism, "Shakespeare" with torism—chiefly, it would seem, on the number and richness of its superfluous letters. It is ever time-saving devices that stir the wrath and contempt of the leisure classes; needless letters serve as well as any other way to show what Professor Vebien ironically calls "honorable waste." Perhaps if "Shakespeare" is ultra radical, "Shakespeare" is wng! "Shakespeare" is the choice of the manuscript men—those who lay most stress on documents; the testimony of the printed books shows a balance in favor of the standard spelling "Shakespeare."

Was the name "built up" in London, as Smith may become Smythe? Or had it been torn down in Stratford, as "d'Urberville" became "Darbyville"? Should we prefer the older form of the family name, if that can be found, or the form preferred by the poet for his title pages? Such are some of the problems for the solution of which Professor Haney has collected and sifted evidence. We find some tendency to favor "Shakespeare" for its shortness. Professor Beers takes this—does Professor Brandt Matthews? President Roosevelt is still to be heard from. Perhaps the ideal spelling is "Shxpr."

It is shorter and queerer than any other, and it sums up the common view as to Shakespeare's orthographical abilities. It leaves, more over, a pleasant freedom which should reconcile adherents of the rival schools of pronunciation: it fits either "Shakespeare" or "Shakespeare." The Baconians, of course, make two names of it—"Shak-spere," the humble actor from Stratford-on-Avon, "Shakespeare," the pen name of Lord Bacon. Thus orthography is seen to be a portentous matter. But the best case is made for "Shakespeare," which has four vowels and six consonants, making 46 in all. Now in Psalms xvi the 46th word is "Shake," the 46th counting backward from the end is "spere." This not only shows that "Shakespeare" is the correct spelling, but that the poet translated the book of Psalms.

TRAPS FOR THE TRANSLATOR.

Victor Hugo always translated the Fifth of Forth as "the First of the Fourth," and swore he was right, too; while Disraeli noted with amusement the French rendering of the adjective "weebegone" as "Doulour va-t-en." An early translator of Scott's "Bride of Lammormoor" had it as "La Bride de Lammormoor," the second word meaning "bride" and the same man rendered "Welsh rabbit" by "Lapin du pays de Gallez."

The case of "La dernière chemise de l'homme" for "Love's Last Shift" is classic, and when the farce "Hitt or Miss" was done into French it almost was billed as "Frappe ou Mademoiselle." That delightful piece, in which Toole was at his funniest, "Walker, London," was referred to in a French newspaper as "L'Adresse que se promène," the best hat the translator could do for "The Stick Minister" was "Le Ministre Assassine."

Surprising, but none the less true, is the version of that line of Goldsmith's "Deserted Village," "As ocean sweeps the labour'd mole away," which appeared as "Comme le mer détruit les travaux de la taupe," the last word signifying the small, burrowing creature we all know.

Some time ago (writes a correspondent) a French writer addressed or wrote of, the Bishop of Sodor and Man as "Monsieur l'Evêque de Syphon d'Homme."—"T. P.'s Weekly."

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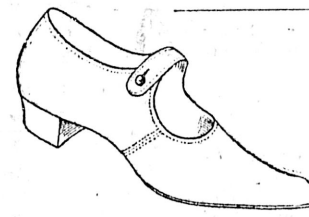


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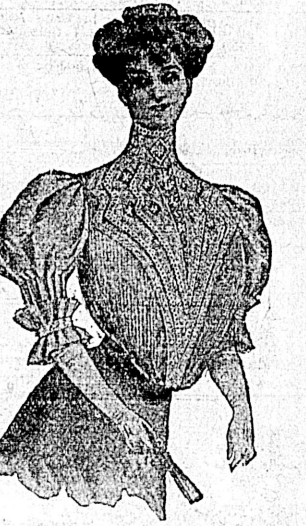
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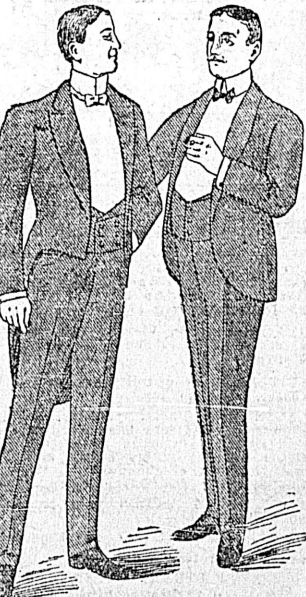
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